

## Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (100-107111)

FROM : SAC, PHILADELPHIA (100-37667)

SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE  
IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, aka  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C;  
INTERNAL SECURITY ACT, 1950

DATE: May 2, 1955

OO - New York

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Re: New York letter to Bureau dated April 1, 1955;  
Philadelphia letter to New York dated January  
28, 1953; report of SA ROBERT E. KENT dated  
September 30, 1954, at Philadelphia.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROSECUTIVE LETTER

Inasmuch as evidence pertaining to the origin of the organization and its original officers was contained in my letter of January 28, 1953, this information is not being re-stated.

The following abbreviations will be utilized in this letter, for purposes of brevity:

Communist Party, USA - CP, USA  
Communist Party of Eastern Pennsylvania  
and Delaware - CPEPD  
Civil Rights Congress - CRC  
National Committee to Secure Justice in the  
Rosenberg Case - National Committee  
Philadelphia Committee to Secure Justice in  
the Rosenberg Case - Philadelphia Committee

I. EVIDENCE OF DEVELOPMENT OF ORGANIZATION, ITS  
EXISTENCE SUBSEQUENT TO SEPTEMBER 1950,  
AFFILIATION OF PHILADELPHIA COMMITTEE WITH  
NATIONAL COMMITTEE, AIMS AND PURPOSES OF  
ORGANIZATION

MBH:ajgh  
(2-NY, 1-PH)  
Encls (99)  
REGISTERED MAIL

cc: Package copy:  
Itemized list  
of exhibits

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Affiliation of Philadelphia  
Committee with National Committee

[REDACTED] Division of Solicitations, Department of Public Instruction, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, 812 Blackstone Building, Harrisburg, Pa., advised SA MORGAN L. MIDTHUN on April 14, 1953, that by letter dated February 17, 1953, JEAN D. FRANTJIS, as Executive Secretary of the Philadelphia Committee, Post Office Box 805, Philadelphia, Pa., informed her that the temporary committee in Philadelphia is an affiliate of the National Committee, 1050 Sixth Avenue, New York City, N. Y. b7d

Aims and Purposes

[REDACTED] referred to above, advised on the same date that the letter previously referred to stated that money solicited by the Philadelphia Committee was used to meet expenses in carrying on appeals and maintaining the ROSENBERG children. Any excess was used for a dissemination of information to enlist popular support for the commutation of the death sentence for the ROSENBERGs. The entire staff of the Philadelphia Committee volunteered its time, and there were no administrative expenses and no commissions paid to solicitors. b7d

Confidential informant [REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past, made available on [REDACTED], an undated, two-page, mimeographed item of literature issued in late 1953 which contained a "Statement of Policy Adopted by the National Conference of Rosenberg-Sobell Committees in Chicago, October 10-11." This policy is set out, in part, as follows:

"The National Organization of Rosenberg-Sobell Committees will make public the truth in the Rosenberg-Sobell case; it will insure that appeals will be made to the courts to review the case and to order a new trial for MORTON SOBELL; it will press vigorously for a transfer of MORTON SOBELL from Alcatraz, so that his appeals to the court are not injured by absence of consultation with his counsel which Alcatraz imposes upon him.

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"We will stand together with any and all who are persuaded in whole or in part, by these objectives."

[REDACTED] b7d

Headquarters of Philadelphia Committee

Confidential informant [REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past, made available on [REDACTED] literature enclosed with a letter from the Philadelphia Committee dated [REDACTED] which contained the following statement:

"issued by the Philadelphia Committee <sup>b7d</sup>  
Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, 205 Hardt  
Building, Phila. 22, Pa. ST 7-3946."

[REDACTED] b7d

The address, "205 Hardt Building, Phila. 22, Pa.," is the address of the Pennsylvania CRC.

The Civil Rights Congress has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

[REDACTED]

On [REDACTED] confidential informant [REDACTED] <sup>b7d</sup> advised that as of April 1955 the Philadelphia Committee continued to occupy office in room 30, 932 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

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Variation of Names used by  
the Philadelphia Committee

On the dates indicated below, the Philadelphia Committee has utilized the following variations of its name on literature that it has issued:

February 11, 1953 - Philadelphia Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, Post Office Box 805, Philadelphia 5, Pa.

[REDACTED] b7d

October 14, 1953 - Philadelphia Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg-Sobell Case, Post Office Box 805, Philadelphia 5, Pa.

[REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past. [REDACTED] b7d

October 19, 1953 - Philadelphia Rosenberg-Sobell Committee, Post Office Box 805, Philadelphia 5, Pa.

[REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past. [REDACTED] b7d

July 8, 1954 - Philadelphia Committee to Secure Justice for Morton Sobell in the Rosenberg Case, Post Office Box 805, Philadelphia 5, Pa.

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Officers of Philadelphia Committee

Confidential informant [redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on [redacted], that [redacted], the following officers of the Philadelphia Committee were to continue in office:

JEAN D. FRANTJIS  
Executive Secretary

RAYMOND UTIN  
Treasurer

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At that time, the Philadelphia Committee had selected no other officers.

Confidential informant [redacted] advised on [redacted] that [redacted] JEAN D. FRANTJIS was the only officer who was active in the Philadelphia Committee. The informant advised that to his knowledge there were no other officers. b7d

Leaders of the Philadelphia Committee

Confidential informant [redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on [redacted], that [redacted] FREIDA SPECTOR was in charge of the activities of the Philadelphia Committee in the Parkside area of Philadelphia. b7d

Confidential informant [redacted] advised on [redacted] that [redacted] SYDNEY MILLER was acting as coordinator of activities of the Philadelphia Committee in the Strawberry Mansion area of Philadelphia. b7d

Confidential informant [redacted] advised [redacted] that [redacted] FREIDA SPECTOR, RAYMOND UTIN, HERBIE LIF-SCHUTZ and ESTELLE THOMAS were all very active in the Philadelphia Committee working on behalf of the ROSENBERGS. b7d

Subversive Affiliations of Officers and Leaders of the Philadelphia Committee

Confidential informant [redacted] advised on [redacted] that in 1951 JEAN D. FRANTJIS was a member of the CPUSA. b7d

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[REDACTED] b7d

[REDACTED] b7d

[REDACTED] advised [REDACTED] that FREIDA SPECTOR was a member of the CPEPD [REDACTED] b7d

[REDACTED] advised on [REDACTED] that ESTELLE THOMAS was not believed by the informant to be a member of the CPEPD; however, informant knew her as a strong Communist sympathizer [REDACTED] b7d

[REDACTED] b7d

The Labor Youth League has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450. b7d

II. GENERAL ACTIVITIES OF THE PHILADELPHIA COMMITTEE

On [REDACTED] made available a mimeographed letter dated January 7, 1953, issued by the Philadelphia Committee which announced a rally to be held on January 11, 1953, at 2128 Walnut Street, Philadelphia. This letter states that the activities of the Philadelphia Committee must be increased, and it sets out the following activities which must be carried out: b7d

1. Write or wire the President and contact other people by phone to do this. b7d
2. Arrange delegations to Congressmen.
3. Arrange delegations to City Councilmen in Phila.

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- "4. Contact every organization in the community to act for clemency.
5. Raise funds for advertisements and radio time.

[REDACTED] b7d

On [REDACTED] made available a mimeographed letter dated February 11, 1953, which was issued by the Philadelphia Committee appealing for contributions to the work of the Philadelphia Committee and participation in its activities. Included with this letter was a one-page printed leaflet issued by the Philadelphia Committee containing an appeal from the sister of BARTOLOMEO VANZETTI in Italy for clemency for the ROSENBERGs. The reverse side of this leaflet contained the same appeal printed in Italian.

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[REDACTED]

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On [REDACTED] Confidential informant [REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past, furnished approximately the same information as [REDACTED] b7d

On [REDACTED] made available a mimeographed letter dated March 18, 1953, issued by the Philadelphia Committee which enclosed an "Amicus Brief in the Rosenberg Case." This letter urged the recipient to gather signatures to this brief and to return it to the Philadelphia Committee no later than

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March 30, 1953. The brief itself states that the trial of the ROSENBERGS was lacking in fairness. The brief contained spaces for ten names and addresses of signers.

[REDACTED] b7d  
On [REDACTED] made available a two-page mimeographed letter dated May 26, 1953, issued by the Philadelphia Committee enclosing a mimeographed clemency petition addressed to the President of the United States, containing space for 14 names and addresses. This letter called for a specific program to be followed to implement the program outlined by the National Committee. In regard to the clemency petition, the letter states as follows:

"We are enclosing a draft of the wording of a nation wide petition for clemency. Take this draft - use it as it is, alter it if you wish, but get it circulated and signed. Do not send the signed petition directly to the White House unless it is the express wish of any individuals or groups. Send it to us . . ."

[REDACTED] b7d  
On [REDACTED] made available a one-page mimeographed flyer issued by the Philadelphia Committee in June 1953 calling for action on the following activities:

1. A center city literature distribution on June 17, 1953.
2. Participation in the Washington clemency vigil June 18, 1953.
3. Person to person telephone calls to the President.
4. Person to person telephone calls to Congressmen.



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5. Telephone calls to individuals who will aid in these activities.

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On [REDACTED] made available a mimeographed flyer dated June 25, 1953, announcing a dedication meeting to be held on June 29, 1953, at Paramount Mansion, Broad Street and Girard Avenue, Philadelphia. This flyer pointed out that in the case of MORTON SOBELL the "evidence against him was even flimsier than that against the ROSENBERGS" and that "a new trial for MORTON SOBELL would help to establish the truth in the ROSENBERG case."

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[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] It was also noted that the National Committee would soon change its name to incorporate the name of MORTON SOBELL in the title.

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On [REDACTED] made available a letter dated October 19, 1953, issued by the Philadelphia Committee. This letter noted that the National Committee was currently preparing a brief to be filed in the case of MORTON SOBELL and urged that letters and telegrams be sent protesting the removal of the ROSENBERG children from a school in Toms River, N. J.

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On [REDACTED] made available a mimeographed copy of the "Statement of Policy" adopted by the National Conference of the Rosenberg-Sobell Committees in Chicago, Ill., on October 10-11, 1953. This statement was prepared by the Philadelphia Committee and set forth a six-point program adopted by the National Conference, which is as follows:

- "1 - A broad educational campaign on the Rosenberg-Sobell case, implemented by the distribution of one million pieces of literature in the next six months, shall be carried out so that the facts will be brought to all sections of the American people.
- 2 - Circulation of an Amicus Brief, to be signed by prominent persons throughout the country, to be presented to the Courts in behalf of MORTON SOBELL. Other groups should be encouraged to circulate similar briefs.
- 3 - The incarceration of MORTON SOBELL in Alcatraz is cruel and unusual punishment, and makes it impossible for him to consult properly with his legal counsel. Therefore, a demand should be raised that he be transferred from Alcatraz pending outcome of legal appeals.
- 4.- We direct that the new National Rosenberg-Sobell Committee be charged with the responsibility of working out the best methods of legal support for SOBELL's fight in the courts.
- 5.- A detailed report of the conduct of the U. S. Attorney General's office in the Rosenberg-Sobell case should be circulated to all committees and interested individuals to the end that, in the near future, a call can be made for an investigation of those responsible for this improper conduct.

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"6 - We who devoted our energies to secure justice for ETHEL and JULIUS ROSENBERG feel it our serious responsibility to bend every effort to secure the well being and protection of MICHAEL and ROBERT ROSENBERG, innocent victims of this great tragedy. We pledge our fullest support to guarantee the necessary funds to achieve this end."

[REDACTED] b7d

[REDACTED]

The Philadelphia Committee was described as being organized to fight for the freedom of MORTON SOBELL.

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[REDACTED]

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On [REDACTED] made available a letter dated July 8, 1954, issued by the Philadelphia Committee which stated that its first task was a petition drive for the removal of MORTON SOBELL from Alcatraz. Enclosed with the letter was a petition urging such action. This petition reflected that it was issued by the National Committee in New York City and contained space for ten names and addresses.

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On [REDACTED] made available a letter dated July 30, 1954, issued by the Philadelphia Committee. This letter enclosed a 31-page pamphlet entitled "The Case of MORTON SOBELL," by D. N. PRITT, which was issued by the National Committee. This pamphlet purported to give a new insight into the legal aspects of the SOBELL case. The pamphlet characterized PRITT as an internationally known British lawyer, a veteran senior member of the English Bar, and a Queen's Counsel since 1927.

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[REDACTED]

As an enclosure to this letter there was a pamphlet entitled "The Facts in the Case of MORTON SOBELL," issued by the National Committee.

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On [REDACTED] made available a newsletter on the SOBELL case issued by the Philadelphia Committee in January 1955. This letter requested a contribution of \$1.00 from each recipient of the letter and stated that this would result in \$1,000 for the Philadelphia Committee to apply toward its share in the nation-wide fund-raising campaign. The letter also set forth four steps which would be taken with the money thus raised. Included with this newsletter, as an enclosure, was a reprint of an article from "The Globe and Mail," Toronto, Canada, January 3, 1955, by J. V. McAREE, entitled "Another DREYFUS Case?" This item was issued by the National Committee and is a comparison between the SOBELL case and the DREYFUS case.

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Public Rallies Held by  
the Philadelphia Committee

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On [REDACTED], confidential informant [REDACTED] advised that the Philadelphia Committee held a mass meeting on the evening of February 19, 1953, at the Paramount Mansion, Broad Street and Girard Avenue, Philadelphia. Professor EPHRAIM CROSS of New York City was the featured speaker and described the ROSENBERG trial as a frame-up because of anti-Semitism at the trial, perjury by witnesses, and for other reasons. JEAN D. FRANTJIS also spoke and stated that she could not ask for contributions. At this point JACK ZUCKER stated that he desired

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to give a contribution to the fight for the ROSENBERGs, and other individuals followed suit. Those present were urged to participate in various activities of the Philadelphia Committee and the National Committee.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] b7d

In addition, [REDACTED] described the attendants at this meeting as being composed almost entirely of Communists. b7d

On [REDACTED] advised that JACK ZUCKER, an official of the Pennsylvania CRC, had been a member of the CP [REDACTED] b7d

On [REDACTED] advised that a street meeting was held by the Philadelphia Committee on the evening of June 19, 1953, at 31st Street and Montgomery Avenue, Philadelphia. A loud speaker was mounted on the roof of an automobile and the meeting collected a crowd of approximately 50 persons. JEAN D. FRANTJIS, Executive Secretary of the Philadelphia Committee, spoke, describing the execution of the ROSENEERGs as a fascist move to destroy the democratic way of life. JOHN HOLTON, Executive Director of the Pennsylvania CRC, spoke in the same vein.

On June 25, 1953, confidential informant [REDACTED] verified the information as furnished by [REDACTED] above. b7d

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On [REDACTED] advised that in June 1954, in preparation for a ROSENBERG memorial period and a mass meeting to be held on June 26, 1954, the Philadelphia Committee issued numerous items of literature. This literature all described the imprisonment of SOBELL in Alcatraz and made reference to the possible innocence of the ROSENBERGS. Included with this literature was a folder entitled "Was There a Rosenberg-Sobell Spy Ring at Fort Monmouth," which urged the transfer of SOBELL from Alcatraz and an investigation of the U. S. Attorney General's office in its handling of the entire ROSENBERG-SOBELL case.

[REDACTED] b7d  
Miscellaneous Activities

On [REDACTED] confidential informant who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that a group from Bucks County, Pa., visited Washington, D. C., on January 5, 1953, as part of a national protest against the sentence of the ROSENBERGS.

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised that ELSA SACCO was a member of the Bucks County Club of the CPEPD in September 1952. b7D

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] b7d  
On [REDACTED] advised that PEGGY BISHOP had taken over the position of organizer of the Southeast Section, CPEPD. b7d



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On [REDACTED] confidential informant [REDACTED] advised that in April 1953 the Philadelphia Committee had established an affiliate known as the "Women's Committee to Establish a Foundation for the ROSENBERG Children," [REDACTED]

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Participation of the Philadelphia  
Committee in National Activities

On [REDACTED] advised that approximately 30 individuals from Philadelphia traveled by chartered bus, as a result of efforts by the Philadelphia Committee, to attend a ROSENBERG clemency rally held in New York City on May 3, 1953, at Triborough Stadium, Randalls Island. Others from Philadelphia traveled to this affair by automobile.

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On [REDACTED] confidential informant [REDACTED] furnished substantially the same as that of [REDACTED]

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III. LITERATURE DISTRIBUTED BY  
THE PHILADELPHIA COMMITTEE

The following information is set out as an example illustrating the range and type of literature issued by the National Committee, 1050 Sixth Avenue, New York City, which was distributed by the Philadelphia Committee in the Philadelphia area:

A 15-page booklet entitled "New Evidence in the ROSENBERG Case"

A seven-page folder entitled "The Vatican and the ROSENBERG Case"

A five-page mimeographed "Analysis of the Case Against MORTON SOBELL," prepared by Professor STEPHEN LOVE

A 10-page booklet entitled "The Scientist in Alcatraz ..."

A dedication journal entitled "Never Losing Faith"

A seven-page booklet entitled "Did the ROSENBERGS Have Full Measure of Justice?"

A 31-page booklet entitled "The Case of MORTON SOBELL," by D.N. PRITT

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IV. SUBVERSIVE RAMIFICATIONS

A. Connections with the  
Communist Party

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1. 1,000 messages to the President of the United States for clemency.

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[REDACTED]

... a sermon and a collection had been made on behalf of the ROSENBERGS.

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On [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] all CP members [REDACTED] requested to support clemency for the ROSENBERGS.

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On [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] CP members were urged to communicate with the President of the United States requesting clemency [REDACTED]

On [REDACTED] advised that during early June 1953 CP members [REDACTED] were being urged to send daily letters to the President of the United States requesting clemency and a stay of execution for the ROSENBERGS. b7D

On [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] the Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case would continue its activities and the CP would continue its efforts to prove the innocence of the ROSENBERGS and to free MORTON SOBELL. b7D

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[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] it was announced that a clemency hearing for  
the ROSENBERGs would be held in New York on the first week  
end in May 1953.

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[REDACTED] CP members were to participate in the  
circulation of Philadelphia Committee clemency petitions  
[REDACTED] and to insure  
a large attendance at the June 10, 1953, rally being held by the  
Philadelphia Committee.

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APPENDIX I - EXHIBITS

<u>NUMBER</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
1	Mimeographed literature issued by Philadelphia Committee containing statement of policy adopted by National Conference at Chicago, October 10-11, 1953.
2	Letter dated [REDACTED], issued by Philadelphia Committee enclosing literature.
3	Pamphlet - "Shall It Be Life Or Death?" issued by the Philadelphia Committee as enclosure to letter of [REDACTED]
4	"Vanzetti appeal," issued by Philadelphia Committee.
5	Letter [REDACTED] issued by Philadelphia Committee, with application blank for journal.
6	Business reply envelope addressed to Philadelphia Committee, enclosed with letter [REDACTED]
7	Journal entitled "Never Losing Faith," issued by National Committee.
8	Letter dated [REDACTED] issued by Philadelphia Committee re plans of committee.
9	Letter dated [REDACTED] issued by Philadelphia Committee.
10	Petition urging removal of MORTON SOBELL from Alcatraz.
11	Two-page letter dated [REDACTED] re January 11, 1953, rally, issued by Philadelphia Committee.
12	Letter dated [REDACTED] issued by Philadelphia Committee, enclosing "Amicus Brief in the Rosenberg Case."

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DESCRIPTION

- 13 "Amicus Brief in the Rosenberg Case," enclosed in letter [REDACTED]
- 14 Two-page letter dated [REDACTED] re Presidential clemency, issued by Philadelphia Committee.
- 15 Clemency petition addressed to the President, enclosed in letter [REDACTED]
- 16 One-page flyer issued in June 1953 calling for action on ROSENBERG case.
- 17 Flyer dated June 25, 1953, captioned "A Clarion Call for Tribute and Dedication," issued by Philadelphia Committee.
- 18 [REDACTED]
- 19 Not used.
- 20 Not used.
- 21 Leaflet entitled "Was There a Rosenberg-Sobell Spy Ring at Fort Monmouth?"
- 22 Leaflet captioned "ETHEL and JULIUS ROSENBERG."
- 23 Letter announcing ROSENBERG memorial meeting for June 26, 1954.
- 24 Letter dated [REDACTED] by Philadelphia Committee re legal analysis on SOBELL case.
- 25 "The Case of Morton Sobell," by D. N. PRITT.
- 26 [REDACTED]

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<u>NUMBER</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
27	Pamphlet entitled "The Facts in the Case of Morton Sobell," [REDACTED]
28	Newsletter on SOBELL case, issued by Philadelphia Committee.
29	Reprint of article by J. V. McAREE, issued by National Committee.
30	[REDACTED]
31	Pamphlet entitled "New Evidence in the Rosenberg Case," issued by National Committee
32	Seven-page folder entitled "The Vatican and the Rosenberg Case," issued by National Committee.
33	Five-page "Analysis of the Case Against Morton Sobell," by Professor STEPHEN LOVE.
34	Ten-page booklet entitled "The Scientist in Alcatraz."
35	Seven-page pamphlet entitled "Did the Rosenbergs Have Full Measure of Justice?"

Three photostatic copies of the above-listed exhibits are being forwarded as enclosures with this letter, together with a copy of this list.

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APPENDIX II. - WITNESSES

T-1 [REDACTED] unavailable

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] this informant is being designated as  
unavailable [REDACTED]

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T-2 - [REDACTED] - unavailable

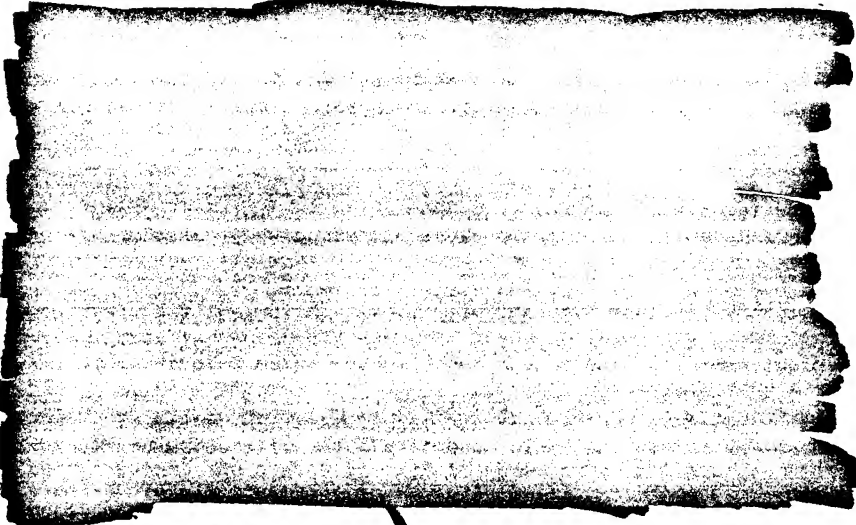
T-3 - [REDACTED] - unavailable

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] has furnished reliable information in the past.

T-4 [REDACTED] unavailable

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T-5 - [redacted] unavailable



Informant has previously furnished reliable information and is a valuable

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informant [REDACTED]

T-6 - [REDACTED] - unavailable

[REDACTED] Informant has  
furnished reliable information in the past.

T-7 - [REDACTED] - unavailable

[REDACTED] Informant  
has furnished reliable information in the past.

T-8 - [REDACTED] - unavailable

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[REDACTED]

T-9 - Confidential source [REDACTED] b7D unavailable b7D

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] This source is in the process of being discontinued due to a lack of productivity; however, [REDACTED] has furnished reliable information in the past. This source has stated that [REDACTED] does not desire to testify. b7D

[REDACTED] available b7D

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A subpoena should be

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T-18 - [redacted] unavailable ) b7d

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has furnished reliable information and nothing has arisen which would affect [redacted] credibility as a witness. [redacted] is willing and available to testify in any legal or administrative proceedings.

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IDENTITY OF SOURCE      DATE OF ACTIVITY AND/OR DESCRIPTION OF INFO      DATE RECEIVED      AGENT TO WHOM FURNISHED      FILE WHERE LOCATED

T-1 [REDACTED] b7d	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	R. BURNS TOOLSON	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	MARION B. HUMMEL (oral)	[REDACTED] 29
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" (oral)	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	R. BURNS TOOLSON	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	"	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	CARYL E. SHUPE and WILLIAM E. HUGHES	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" "	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	R. BURNS TOOLSON	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	MARION B. HUMMEL	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	R. BURNS TOOLSON	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	"	[REDACTED]

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T-2 [REDACTED] b7d	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	R. BURNS TOOLSON	[REDACTED]
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	"	" [REDACTED]
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" (oral)	[REDACTED]
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" "	
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" "	
T-3 [REDACTED] b7d	[REDACTED] b7d	[REDACTED]	ROBERT D. AMO (oral) b7d	[REDACTED]
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	"(written)	[REDACTED]
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" "	[REDACTED]
	[REDACTED] b7d	[REDACTED]	CARLTON H. WOLFARTH (oral)	[REDACTED]
	[REDACTED] b7d	[REDACTED]	HARRY C. BELK (written)	[REDACTED] b7d
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	ROBERT D. AMO (written)	[REDACTED] b7d
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	"(written)	[REDACTED] b7d

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T-4 [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	ROBERT E. KENT (written)	[REDACTED] b7d
[REDACTED] b7d	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	ROBERT F. JACOBS (written)	[REDACTED] b7d
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	"(written)	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" "	[REDACTED]
T-5 [REDACTED] b7d	[REDACTED] b7d	[REDACTED]	JAMES E. HELMER (written)	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" "	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" "	[REDACTED]
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[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" "	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" "	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" "	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" "	[REDACTED]

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T-5 (cont'd)	[REDACTED] b7d	[REDACTED]	JAMES E. HELMER (written)	[REDACTED] b7d
	[REDACTED] b7d	[REDACTED]	"(written)	[REDACTED] b7d
	[REDACTED] b7d	[REDACTED]	" "	[REDACTED] b7d
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" "	[REDACTED]
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" "	[REDACTED]
T-6	[REDACTED] b7d	[REDACTED]	WALTER J. SHERIDAN (oral)	[REDACTED]
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" (oral)	[REDACTED]
T-7	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	DAVID W. BOWERS	[REDACTED]
T-8	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" (oral)	[REDACTED]
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	FURMAN N. GREER (oral)	[REDACTED]
T-9	[REDACTED] b7d	[REDACTED] b7d	CARLTON H. WOLFARTH (oral)	[REDACTED] b7d

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T-9 (cont'd)	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	CARLTON H. WOLFARTH	[REDACTED]
T-10 [REDACTED] b7d	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]	" (oral) JEREMIAH W. DOYLE & WILLIAM F. McLAUGHLIN (written)	[REDACTED] [REDACTED] b7d
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	CARLTON H. WOLFARTH (written)	[REDACTED] b7d
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" (written)	[REDACTED]
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	JEREMIAH W. DOYLE (oral)	[REDACTED]
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	CARLTON H. WOLFARTH (written)	[REDACTED]
	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	" "	[REDACTED]
T-11 [REDACTED] b7D	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]	JEREMIAH W. DOYLE	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]
T-12 [REDACTED] b7d	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	JAMES E. JARBOE	[REDACTED]

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T-13, not used

T-14      [REDACTED]      [REDACTED]      THOMAS P. SCOLLARD (oral)      [REDACTED]  
b7d

T-15      [REDACTED]      [REDACTED]      JOHN J. KLISE (written)      [REDACTED] b1  
b7d      [REDACTED]      [REDACTED]      "(written)      " [REDACTED] b1  
" "      " [REDACTED] b1

T-16,      [REDACTED]      [REDACTED]      FURMAN N. GREER      [REDACTED]

T-17      [REDACTED]      [REDACTED]      ALBERT E. FALLER & HARRY C. BELK (oral)      [REDACTED]  
b7d      [REDACTED]      [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]      [REDACTED]      ALBERT E. FALLER (oral)      [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]      [REDACTED]      " "      [REDACTED]

T-18      [REDACTED]      [REDACTED]      R. BURNS TOOLSON (oral)      [REDACTED]  
b7d

[REDACTED]      [REDACTED]      CARLTON H. WOLFARTH (oral)      [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]      [REDACTED]      " (oral)      [REDACTED]  
b7d      b7d      b7d

SA, New York (100-107111)

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SA, New Haven (100-14203)

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE  
JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG  
CASE, AKA  
IS-C  
ISA of 1950

Reference New York letter to Bureau, 4/1/55.

I.

B. Persons Active in National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case (NCSJRC) and Its Management, Direction or Supervision who are similarly active in the Communist Party.

[redacted] advised on [redacted] that JOSEPHINE WILLARD, known to the informant as an active Communist Party member, was in charge of the NCSJRC in Bridgeport, Connecticut.

[redacted] b7D

[redacted] advised on [redacted] that [redacted] JEAN WEINBERG, Bridgeport, Connecticut, known to the informant as an active Communist Party member, [redacted] advised that [redacted] the picketing of the White House on 6/14/53 which was to be sponsored by the NCSJRC.

[redacted] b7D

[redacted] advised [redacted] that [redacted] WARREN FALK, known to the informant as an active Communist Party member, [redacted] "protest" held in front of the White House in Washington, D.C. on 6/14/53 which would be sponsored by the NCSJRC.

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[redacted] advised [redacted] that KONSTANTINE JAKOWENKO, known to the informant as an active Communist Party member, was directing activities of the New Britain Section of the Communist Party.

[redacted]  
b7D

[redacted] advised [redacted] that ROBERT VATER, known to the informant as an active Communist Party member,

[redacted] telegrams going to the President of the United States requesting clemency for the Rosenbergs.

[redacted]  
b7D

C. The extent to which the NCSJRC Support, Financial and Otherwise, is derived from the Communist Party.

[redacted] advised [redacted] that the Communist Party in Bridgeport, Connecticut was supporting the NCSJRC in its telegram campaign to secure clemency for the ROSENBERGS.

[redacted]  
b7D

[redacted] First National Bank and Trust Co., Bridgeport, Connecticut advised on 8/14/53 that BERT MAC LEECH sent \$10 to the NCSJRC in New York City on 7/17/53 to pay for "Rosenberg Letters." (7/17/53; 8/14/53; information supplied to SA CHARLES CRAMER; WHO file 100-14203-18.)

b7D

The above mentioned bank records are to be made available only by following the usual proceedings of the issuance of a Subpoena Duces Tecum.

[redacted] advised that BERT MAC LEECH was known to him as an active Communist Party member.

b7D

[redacted] Chase National Bank, New York City, advised on 11/25/53 that BERT MAC LEECH, LOUIS ZENEL and JOHN OGULNICK gave financial contributions to the NCSJRC during the period

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of July through August, 1953. (Contributions: 11/23/53; information supplied to the New York Office; NYO file 100-14203-191).

[redacted] advised that LOUIS ZEMEL was known to him as an active Communist Party sympathizer in 1953. b7D

[redacted] advised in [redacted] that JOHN COULINICK has been a member of the Communist Party [redacted]

b7D

The above mentioned bank records are to be made available only by following the usual proceedings of the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum.

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APPENDIX I - WITNESSES

<u>Informants</u>	<u>Reliability</u>	<u>Availability as Witnesses</u>
[REDACTED] b7D	has furnished reliable information corroborated by other sources.	Unavailable to testify until after [REDACTED] b7D
[REDACTED] b7D	Has furnished reliable information corroborated by other sources.	unavailable
[REDACTED] b7D First National Bank & Trust Co., Bridgeport, Conn.		Bank records, available only upon issuance of subpoena duces tecum.
[REDACTED] b7D Chase National Bank, New York City		Bank records, available only upon issuance of subpoena duces tecum.
[REDACTED] b7D	Has furnished reliable information corroborated by other sources.	Unavailable

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APPENDIX II - EXHIBITS

Enclosed herewith is the original of the following item. It is requested that two (2) photostats of this item be made in the New York Office and retained in New York, with the original being returned to New Haven.

1. Leaflet published by the NCSJRC entitled "Electric Chair Can't Kill the Doubts in the Rosenberg Case."

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# Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York (100-107111)

FROM : SAC, New Haven (100-14203)

SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, AKA  
IS-C  
ISA of 1950

DATE: 5/2/52

Reference New York letter to Bureau, 4/1/52.

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- B. Persons Active in National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case (NCSJRC) and Its Management, Direction or Supervision who are similarly active in the Communist Party.

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[redacted]

[redacted] advised on [redacted] that [redacted]

Bridgeport, Connecticut, was to the informant an active Communist Party member. [redacted] advised that [redacted]

the picketing of the white house on 6/14/52 which was to be sponsored by the NCSJRC.

[redacted]

[redacted] advised [redacted] that [redacted]

FALK, known to the informant as [redacted] Communist Party, member, [redacted] "protest"

held in front of the white House in [redacted] on 6/14/52 which would be sponsored by [redacted]

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of July through August, 1953. (Contributions: 11/23/53; information supplied to the New York Office; NYC file 100-14203-191).

[REDACTED] advised that LOUIS ZEMEL was known to him as an active Communist Party sympathizer in 1953. b7D

[REDACTED] advised in [REDACTED] that JOY OCEANIC has been a member of the Communist Party [REDACTED]

b7D

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[REDACTED] b7D First National Bank & Trust Co., Bridgeport, Conn.		Bank records, available only upon issuance of subpoena duces tecum.
[REDACTED] b7D Chase National Bank, New York City		Bank records, available only upon issuance of subpoena duces tecum.
[REDACTED] b7D	Has furnished reliable information corroborated by other sources.	Unavailable

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1. Leaflet published by the NCSJRC entitled "Electric Chair Can't Kill the Deaths in the South."

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FILE # 100-107111

SUBJECT ROSENBERG/SOBELL COMMITTEE

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exempt from disclosure, in its entirety, under (b)(1) as it has been classified pursuant to Executive Order 11652 as it contains information which would disclose an intelligence source. This serial bears the Classification Officers number: [redacted]

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Also, (b)(7)(D) information contained in this serial would identify an informant to whom an expressed promise of confidentiality has been given. This information includes dates and places of meetings which were attended by a limited number of people known to the informant and/or information from these meetings and situations in which an informant was in close contact with members of these organizations, disclosure of which would reveal his identity.

## Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (100-10711)

DATE May 2, 1955

FROM : SAC, DETROIT (100-20938)

SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE  
JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, aka.,  
IS-C, ISA OF 1950

~~ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED  
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED  
EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN  
OTHERWISE~~

Re New York letter to Bureau dated April 1, 1955, and  
Detroit letter to New York dated March 10, 1953.

With regard to the submission of information for inclusion  
in the prosecutive summary report being prepared on captioned  
organization, it is noted that the exhibits mentioned herein are  
presently being photostated by the Detroit Office and will be  
forwarded to the New York Office at the earliest possible date.

In preparing the following data a file review was  
conducted encompassing the period April, 1953 to the present.

The National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg  
Case will be abbreviated hereinafter as the NCSJ and the Communist  
Party will be abbreviated as the CP.

I. THE NCSJ IS SUBSTANTIALLY DIRECTED, DOMINATED, OR  
CONTROLLED BY THE CP, USA

A. Evidence Showing the Organization Was in Existence on or  
Subsequent to September 23, 1950:

This information was previously furnished in referenced  
Detroit letter to New York.

B. Available Evidence of the Extent to Which Persons Active in  
the Management, Direction, or Supervision of the NCSJ are  
Active in the Management, Direction or Supervision of or as  
Representatives of the CP, USA:

1. Local Officers

The "Michigan Edition - The Worker" of September 29,  
1953, page 8, column 4, contained an article captioned "300 in

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AND FIELD OFFICES  
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DATE 5/11/55

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Re: NCSJ, aka.  
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Detroit honor ROSENBERGS--Pledge Fight for MORTON SOBELL  
Instant article pertains to the execution of the ROSENBERGS.  
The article reflects that MORRIS GLEICHER was Chairman of the  
Detroit Committee for Justice in the Rosenberg Case.

Exhibit 1  
Witness to Introduce:  
Director  
City of Detroit Public Libraries  
Detroit, Michigan

The "Michigan Edition - The Worker" is the Michigan  
edition of the New York Communist newspaper "The Worker."

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] EVE NEIDELMAN was Secretary of the  
Detroit Committee to Secure Justice in the ROSENBERG Case. b7D

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

EVE NEIDELMAN was a member of the Section Committee,  
District 7, CP, USA [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

The following individuals were identified as officers of  
the Detroit ROSENBERG-SOBELL Committee [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] b7D

ROSE ROSEN, Secretary  
SAM MAZELL (no characterization available at Detroit  
Office), Treasurer  
EVE NEIDELMAN, Correspondent

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

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ROSE ROSEN was a member of District 7, CP, USA, [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7d

ISADORE STARR and Dr. HENRY RASKIN were officers in the Detroit Committee to Secure Justice in the ROSENBERG case during 1953. Exact positions unknown.

Witness: [REDACTED] b7d

Dr. HENRY RASKIN has been observed at numerous CP front functions during 1952.

Witness: [REDACTED] b7d

ISADORE STARR was a member of the Progressive Party of Michigan in 1951.

Witness: [REDACTED] b7d

The National Committee CP, USA in issuing its final text of the "Resolution Growing Out of Presidential Elections" in "Political Affairs" issue of July, 1953 stating in substance that in 1948 the CP helped stimulate the formation of the Progressive Party and currently supported the Progressive Party during the 1952 elections.

## 2. Other

ANNE SHORE circulated a mimeographed letter dated March 16, 1953 enclosing a petition requesting the United States Supreme Court to grant a new trial for the ROSENBERGS. The petition was to be returned to the Civil Rights Congress (CRC) on or before March 26, 1953.

[REDACTED] b7d  
Witness to Introduce: [REDACTED]

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ANNE SHORE during 1953 was Organizational Director of the CRC of Michigan.

Witness: [redacted] b7D

The CRC has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

[redacted] JAMES DIXON sent a petition to President EISENHOWER to secure execution clemency for the ROSENBERGS.

Witness: [redacted] b2

JAMES DIXON was a member of District 7, CP, USA in 1948.

Witness: [redacted]  
b7D

On June 9, 1953, the CRC sponsored a meeting "To Save the ROSENBERGS" held at Parkside Hall, Detroit, Michigan.

Witness: [redacted] b2

[redacted]  
b7D

Witness: [redacted]

[redacted]  
Witness: [redacted] b7D

BEN KOCEL and ANNE CROWE attended the ROSENBERG Vigil held in Washington, D.C. on June 13 and 14, 1953.

Witness: [redacted] b7D

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ANNE CROME was a member of the Downriver Section,  
District 7, CP, USA in 1953.

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

BEN KOCEL was a member of District 7, CP, USA in 1952.

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] send telegrams and make telephone calls to  
Washington, D.C. in behalf of the ROSENBERGS. b7D

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

ART MC PHAUL is Executive Secretary of the CRC of Michigan.

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] to send telegrams and to telephone Washington, D.C. in behalf  
of the ROSENBERGS. b7D

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] a collection  
of letters reportedly written by ETHEL and JULIUS ROSENBERG. b7D

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

1952. ESTHER SHAFIRO was a member of District 7, CP, USA in

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

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- C. All Available Evidence of the Extent to Which the NCSJ Derives Its Support Financial or Otherwise from the CP, USA.

A pamphlet entitled, "They Have Not Died in Vain", which was a statement of the National Committee CP, USA, issued by the Michigan State Committee CP, USA and attacks the trial and execution of the ROSENBERGS.

Exhibit 3  
Witness to Introduce:  
[REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] action must be taken to help the ROSENBERGS. b7D

Witness:  
[REDACTED] b7D

JOHN MC ADOO was a member of District 7, CP, USA in 1950.

Witness:  
[REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] pass out handbills in defense of the ROSENBERGS. b7D

Witness:  
[REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED] b7D  
Witness:  
[REDACTED] b7D

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II. STATEMENT THAT THE ORGANIZATION IS PRIMARILY  
OPERATED FOR THE PURPOSE OF GIVING AID AND  
SUPPORT TO THE CP, USA

No information is available in Detroit files concerning  
the above heading.

III. EVIDENCE OF ORGANIZATION CHANGE IN TITLE

  
the "Detroit ROSENBERG-SOBELL Committee".

Witness: 

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[REDACTED] an available witness. b7D

T-1 Witness is known to have furnished reliable information in the past [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] witness has stated that [REDACTED] is not willing to testify under any circumstances [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] It is not believed that this individual would make a satisfactory witness. b7D

T-2 This witness is known to have furnished reliable information in the past [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] witness is not available to testify. b7D

T-3 [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] However, this source has agreed to testify to admissible information. b7D

T-4 This witness is known to have furnished reliable information in the past [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] witness is [REDACTED] not available to testify. b7D

T-5 This witness is known to have furnished reliable information in the past [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] witness would make a satisfactory witness. b7D

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T-6 This witness is known to have furnished reliable information in the past.

[REDACTED]

It is not believed that this individual would make a satisfactory witness. b7D

T-7 This witness is known to have furnished reliable information in the past

[REDACTED]

Witness [REDACTED] is not available to testify. b7D

[REDACTED]

T-9 This witness has furnished reliable information in the past

[REDACTED]

Witness [REDACTED] has indicated [REDACTED] would be willing to testify if deemed vital to successful prosecution. It is felt that this individual would make a satisfactory witness. b7D

T-10 This witness is known to have furnished reliable information

[REDACTED]

Witness [REDACTED] is available to testify. It is believed this individual would make a fair witness. b7D

T-11 This witness is known to have furnished reliable information in the past

[REDACTED] b7D

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Witness  is not available to testify.



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APPENDIX II

EXHIBITS

Exhibit 1

"Michigan Edition - The Worker", September 29, 1953,  
page 8, column 4, article entitled, "300 in Detroit  
Honor ROSENBERG--Pledge Fight for MORTON SOBELL."

Reference Pages 1 and 2

Exhibit 2

A petition issued by the CRC requesting the United  
States Supreme Court to grant a new trial for the  
ROSENBERGS.

Reference Page 3

Exhibit 3

Pamphlet attacking trial and execution of ROSENBERGS  
entitled, "They Have Not Died in Vain", which was a  
statement of the National Committee CP, USA issued  
by the Michigan State Committee, CP, USA.

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APPENDIX III  
INFORMANTS

<u>Identity of Source</u>	<u>Date of Activity And/or Description of Information</u>	<u>Date Received</u>	<u>Agent to whom Furnished</u>	<u>File Number where Located</u>
T-1 is [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	JAMES C. HOLMES	[REDACTED]
T-2 is [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	FRANK J. KNOTH	[REDACTED]
" [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	THOMAS I. BECK WITH	[REDACTED]
" [REDACTED]	[REDACTED] b7D	[REDACTED]	FRANK J. KNOTH	[REDACTED]
T-3 is [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	JOHN R. COOPER	[REDACTED]
T-4 [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]		[REDACTED]
" [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]		[REDACTED]
T-5 [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]		[REDACTED]
T-6 is [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	FRANK J. KNOTH	[REDACTED] b7D
PSI [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]		[REDACTED]
T-7 [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]		[REDACTED]

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T-11 is [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	THOMAS L. BECKWITH	[REDACTED]
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T-12 is [REDACTED] b1	[REDACTED] b2	[REDACTED]	MELVILLE H. SHANNON	[REDACTED] b1

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## Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (100-107111)

DATE: 5/2/55

FROM : SAC, NEWARK (100-36202)

SUBJECT:

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE  
JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE  
Aka, Clemency for the Rosenbergs Committee,  
National Committee for Clemency in the  
Rosenberg Case  
IS - C

Office of Origin: New York

Re New York letter to Bureau 4/1/55.

Instant Newark file has been reviewed from 4/53 to date for information concerning instant organization being substantially directed, dominated, or controlled by the COMMUNIST PARTY and primarily operated for the purpose of giving aid or support to the CP as per instructions in SAC letter 114, Series 51.

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Report of SA JOHN F. BURKE 1/11/54.

Report of SA JOHN F. BURKE 5/25/54.

The Newark report of SA VICTOR J. CAMPI dated 4/1/53, sets out information concerning the origin, scope, and general activity of the ROSENBERG Committees in New Jersey, and their connection with the National Committee and information plus the officers, aims, and objectives of the New Jersey organization. The report further reflects the subversive ramifications and the connections with the CP.

In connection with the 4/1/53, report of SA CAMPI, the following material is furnished concerning witnesses who have supplied information that may be of a prosecutive nature:

██████████ is ██████████ who stated the N.J. Section of the Rosenberg is a Communist inspired and controlled organization, has supplied reliable information in the past. ██████████ has declined to testify in court concerning information supplied by ██████████ b7D

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[REDACTED] furnished reliable information in the past. [REDACTED] have declined to testify in court concerning information supplied by them. b7D

[REDACTED] has supplied information regarding [REDACTED] present attitude concerning testifying is not known; however, the value of [REDACTED] testimony, contingent upon being of a voluntary nature, is of conjectural value. b7D

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Informants and sources have indicated very little activity in the N.J. Section of instant organization within the last year.

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NK 100-36202

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ROSENBERG - SOBELL COMMITTEE;

COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE FOR MORTON SOBELL IN THE ROSENBERG CASE;

N.J. ROSENBERG - SOBELL COMMITTEE;

EASTERN DIVISION OF THE ROSENBERG - SOBELL COMMITTEE;

CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS COMMITTEE;

NATIONAL COMMITTEE FOR CLEMENCY IN THE ROSENBERG CASE;

CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS;

N.J. COMMITTEE TO SECURE CLEMENCY IN THE ROSENBERG CASE;

SOUTH JERSEY COMMITTEE FOR CLEMENCY IN THE ROSENBERG CASE;

N.J. COMMITTEE FOR THE ROSENBERGS;

NATIONAL CONFERENCE FOR THE ROSENBERG - SOBELL COMMITTEE.

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[REDACTED]  
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EASTERN DIVISION OF THE ROSENBERG - CORNELL COMMITTEE;

CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS;

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Letter to SAC, New York  
NK 100-36202

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NATIONAL CONFERENCE FOR THE ROSENBERG - SOBELL COMMITTEE.



## Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York (100-107111)

FROM : SAC, Los Angeles (100-41648)

SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE  
IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, aka  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C;  
INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

DATE: 5/2/55

Reurlet to Bureau 4/1/55.

In accordance with the instructions contained in relet, attached hereto is a memorandum setting forth the availability of witnesses and those unavailable to testify with reasons for their unavailability set out.

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 5/2/55

I. EVIDENCE TO ESTABLISH THAT THE LOS ANGELES CHAPTER IS AFFILIATED WITH THE NATIONAL ORGANIZATION

A. Unavailable Witnesses

The following are currently active and productive informants:

[REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED] was a technical surveillance and consisted of Special Agents monitoring meetings held at the Embassy Auditorium

b1

Former [REDACTED] is [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past, but whose present whereabouts is unknown. b7D

[REDACTED] Citizens First National Bank, should be concealed since the records of the bank were furnished on a confidential basis. b7D

The Butte Office has been requested to advise the New York Office directly whether or not [REDACTED] is available as a witness and willing to testify. b7D

B. Available Witnesses

[REDACTED]

b1

II. EVIDENCE TO ESTABLISH THAT THE LOCAL CHAPTER IS CONTROLLED AND DOMINATED SUBSTANTIALLY BY THE NATIONAL ORGANIZATION

No evidence is submitted and no witnesses are available.

III. EVIDENCE TO ESTABLISH THAT THE ORGANIZATION, EITHER NATIONALLY OR LOCALLY, IS DOMINATED OR CONTROLLED BY THE COMMUNIST PARTY

A. Unavailable Witnesses

The following informants and sources are currently

active and productive:

[REDACTED]

b7D

CSLA 3835-S was a "bag" established on 8/13/54.

CSSF 62-X was a "bag" at San Francisco on 4/6/53.

[REDACTED]

CSLA 3200-S was a "bag" in May and June, 1947.

b2

described.

Former [REDACTED] who has already been b7D

[REDACTED]

b1

B. Available Witnesses

[REDACTED]

b1

IV. ORIGIN OF ORGANIZATION

A. Unavailable Witnesses

The following informants and sources are currently active and productive:

[REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

who has been described.

b7D

B. Available Witnesses

[REDACTED]

b1

V. PROOF OF EXISTENCE AFTER 9/23/50

A. Unavailable Witnesses

The following informants and sources are currently active and productive:

[REDACTED]

b7D

B. Available Witnesses

[REDACTED]

b7D

VI. IDENTITY OF OFFICERS

A. Unavailable Witnesses

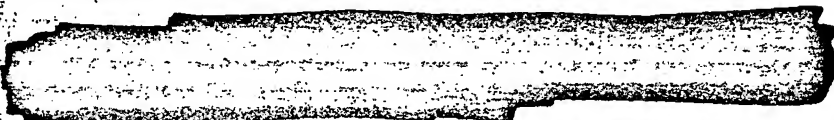
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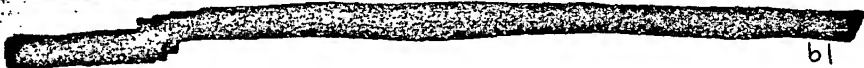
Former [redacted] is [redacted] previously described.

[redacted] was a technical surveillance at the Embassy Auditorium.

B. Available Witnesses



b1

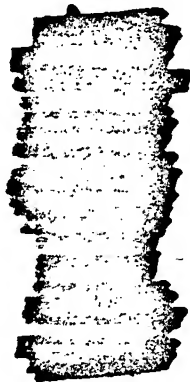


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VII. CP AFFILIATIONS OF NATIONAL AND LOCAL OFFICERS

A. Unavailable Witnesses

The following informants and sources are currently active and productive:



b7D

[REDACTED]  
CSNY 42-5-41  
[REDACTED]

b7D

CSLA 3220-S was a "bag" on 8/29/47.

CSSF 62-X has been previously described.

CSLA 3200-S has been previously described.

The Butte Office has been requested to advise whether or not [REDACTED] is available as a witness and willing to testify. b7D

[REDACTED] should be concealed, inasmuch as she requested that her identity not be disclosed. b7D

[REDACTED] b2

[REDACTED] The availability of [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] willingness to testify are known to this office.

Former [REDACTED] [REDACTED] was discontinued [REDACTED] [REDACTED] to be recontacted. b2

CSLA 3500-S was a "bag" in 1951 and 1952.

The Phoenix Office has been requested to advise the New York Office directly as to the availability and willingness to testify of [REDACTED]

CSLA 3741-S was a "bag" at Los Angeles on 2/6/54.

[REDACTED] b1

B. Available Witnesses

[REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED] has expressed a desire that [REDACTED] be used as a witness on a selected basis. b7D

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] b1

Former [REDACTED] b2 b7D has been previously described. b7D

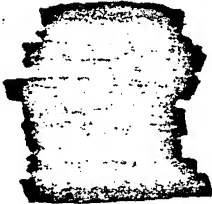
VIII. EXTENT TO WHICH SUPPORT IS DERIVED FROM THE CP

A. Unavailable Witnesses

The following informants and sources are currently active and productive:

[REDACTED]

b2D



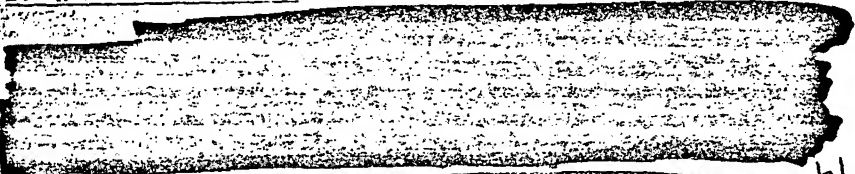
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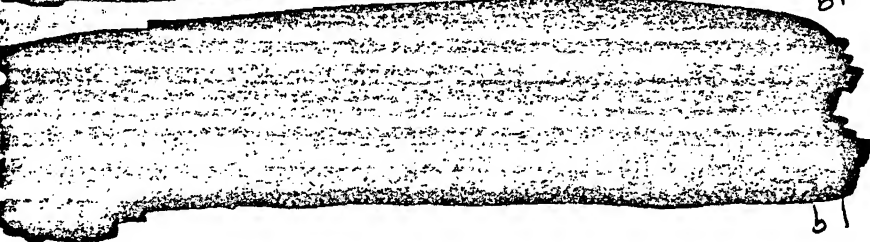
described. Former [redacted] who has been previously  
b7D

CSLA 3760-S is a "bag."

B. Available Witnesses



b1



b1

IX. EVIDENCE TO ESTABLISH ORGANIZATION USED FUNDS, RESOURCES OR PERSONNEL TO PROMOTE OBJECTIVES OF THE CP

A. Unavailable Witnesses

The following informants and sources are currently active and productive:



b7D



B. Available Witnesses

There are no available witnesses.

X. EXTENT TO WHICH POLICIES OF THE ORGANIZATION  
DO NOT DEVIATE FROM THE POLICIES LAID DOWN  
BY THE CP

A. Unavailable Witnesses

[REDACTED]  
should not be considered as a possible witness in view of his  
position and the fact that he furnished a letter, a photostat  
of which is in the exhibit section. b7d

The following sources and informants are currently  
active and productive:

[REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]  
In view  
of [REDACTED] position it is recommended [REDACTED] not be used as a witness. b7D

[REDACTED]  
furnished a receipt received by him via their [REDACTED]  
as he can testify only regarding his receipt of a printed pamphlet,  
it is suggested he not be considered as a witness. b7D

[REDACTED] was a technical surveillance at the Embassy  
Auditorium. b2

Former [REDACTED] who has been previously  
described. b7D

B. Available Witnesses

There are no available witnesses.

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York  
FROM : SAC, Phoenix (100-4333)  
SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, AKA IS - C; ISA - 1950

DATE: [redacted]

Re: Los Angeles Air-Tel to Butte, 4/23/51.

In referenced Air-Tel, it was stated information furnished by [redacted] was being used in the support of the activities of the above captioned organization and the informant is requested to advise of this informant's availability and willingness to testify. b1

[redacted block of text] b1

[redacted block of text] b1

[redacted block of text] b1

Accordingly, it is believed [redacted] could be of great value.

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FAB:ts

cc: 1 - Los Angeles (100-41612) (RM)

1 - [redacted] b2

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SAC, New York

5/2/55

SAC, Phoenix (100-4333)

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE  
JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, AKA  
IS - C, ISA - 1950

Re: Los Angeles Air-Tel to Butte, 4/13/55.

In referenced Air-Tel, it was stated information furnished by [redacted] was being used in the supplementary prosecutive summary on the above captioned organization and the Phoenix Office is requested to advise of this informant's availability and willingness to testify. b1

[redacted] b1

[redacted] b1

[redacted] b1

Accordingly, it is believed that identity should be restricted.

RSC

FAB:ts

cc: 1 - Los Angeles (100-41643) (REG-100-107111-562)  
1 - [redacted]

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REGISTERED - AIR MAIL

FBI, INDIANAPOLIS

AIRTEL

5/3/55

SAC, CHICAGO (100-25530)

CHICAGO COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE,  
WAS., IS - C.

Reurairtel 4/22/55.

Review of Indianapolis file indicates two [redacted] and [redacted] both furnished handbills by letter to [redacted] resident agency without cover letter and without identifying the handbills. Chicago is requested to advise in the event it is desired that [redacted] and [redacted] be located to determine availability for testimony.

b7d

RE: MURKIN

HAK:BH  
65-2095

cc: (2) New York (100-10711)

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100-10711-E-63

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FBI, INDIANAPOLIS

AIRTEL

5/3/55

SAC, CHICAGO (100-25030)

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b7d

LM:SK

HAK:BH  
65-2095

cc: (2) - New York (100-10711)

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L. [unclear]  
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FBI, Chicago (100-25530)

May 4, 1955

SAC, New York (100-107111)(RM)

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, INC., ET-AL.

Re IP letter to Cg with CC to NY dated 4/20/55 re availability  
of [redacted] and [redacted] b7D

Both of these informants were identified by [redacted] furnished  
the NY Division in Cg letter to NY dated 5/2/55.

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HFA:JVR  
(5)  
CC: [redacted]

b7D

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✓  
cc: [redacted]

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

AIR-TEL

FBI BA

5/4/55

RCV:JEA

Transmit the following Teletype message to:

(2)

SAC, NEW YORK (100-107111)

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE  
IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, aka  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Re Boston air-tel dated April 28, 1955, requesting Baltimore to furnish information as to availability and reliability of [redacted] as witness instant case.

b7D

This person is [redacted]

[redacted] reliable information to the Baltimore Office in the past, and is currently a Confidential Source of the Baltimore Office.

b7D

[redacted] has expressed willingness to testify and is available as a witness.

b7D

BROWN

END

BA 100-15241

CC: 1 - Boston (100-27290)

[redacted] b7D

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Approved: D.K.P.  
Special Agent in Charge

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AIR-TEL

FBI BA

5/4/55

COMM-FBI  
(17)

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EROWN

END

BA 100-15241

CC: 1 - [redacted] (100-107111) b7D

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AIR-TEL \_\_\_\_\_  
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NY

FBI, CLEVELAND (100-20243)

5-5-55

SAC, NEW YORK (100-107111)

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE,  
IS-C, ISA 1950.

Re NY let to Bureau dated 4-1-55 and CV dated  
to CV dated 4-21-55.

[REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

reluctant to testify. [REDACTED] does not desire to testify  
as a witness but, of course, would testify if subpoenaed. b7D

CV let in response to NY let to Director dated  
4-1-55 follows.

HAWKINS

100-107111-366

END

MHF:wac

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CC: - Chicago (100-25530) (RM)

REGISTERED MAIL

R. Minahan

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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FBI, CLEVELAND (100-20243) 5-5-55  
SAC, NEW YORK (100-107111)

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE,  
IS-C, ISA 1950.

Re NY let to Bureau dated 4-1-55, and 22 April  
to CV dated 4-21-55.

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

reluctant to testify, but not desirous to testify  
as a witness but, of course, would testify if subpoenaed.

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CV let in response to NY let to Director dated  
4-1-55 follows.

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END

MHF:wac

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CC: Chicago (100-25530) (RM)

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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Agent in Charge

Sent \_\_\_\_\_

Per \_\_\_\_\_

*E. Minahan*

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FBI, Chicago (100-25530) May 6, 1955

SAC, New York (100-107111) (AM) (REGISTERED)

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, AKA.;  
IS-C.

Re CG prosecutive letter to NY 5/2/55 and IP airtel  
to CG, CC to NY, 5/3/55, wherein IP advised that witnesses  
[redacted] and [redacted] gave no address or ident info  
when furnishing handoffs, Exhibit #20 in recplet, to IP Div.

NY will advise IP if it desires the location of  
[redacted] and [redacted] re availability to testify at this time.

END

HOSTETTER

RPA:MDW

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100-107111-E-67

R. Minchen

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Transmit the following <sup>AM TEL</sup> Teletype message to:

FBI, Chicago (100-25530) May 4, 1957

SAC, New York (100-107114) (AM) (RE: [redacted])

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICES IN THE ROYALTY CASE, AKA.;  
IS-C.

ReCG prosecutive letter to [redacted] and [redacted] dated  
to DR. CG to NY, 5/2/57. wherein [redacted] advised that [redacted]  
[redacted] and [redacted] have advised [redacted] agent [redacted]  
when furnishing materials, [redacted] [redacted], to IP Div.

NY will advise IP in its continuing attention of  
[redacted] and [redacted] re availability of [redacted] at this time.

END

HOSTETTER

RFA:MDW  
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1 - INDIANAPOLIS (REGISTRATION)

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Approved: DD. T. R. Miniker Sent            M Per             
Special Agent in Charge



SAC, NEW YORK (100-107111)

May 10, 1955

SAC, CLEVELAND (100-19935)

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE  
JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, aka.  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C;  
INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

Re Minneapolis letter to Chicago dated April 28, 1955.

[REDACTED] is a currently active paid informant of the  
Cleveland Office and is therefore not presently available  
to testify. b7D

New York will note that Cleveland prescriptive summary  
also includes information furnished by [REDACTED]. This  
letter which is in preparation will set forth complete  
information concerning [REDACTED] in the event needed. b7D

AJQ/mtm  
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CC: Minneapolis (100-8894) (RM)  
[REDACTED] b7D

REGISTERED MAIL

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TO : SAC, NEW YORK (100-107111)

DATE: MAY 22, 1959

FROM : SAC, CLEVELAND (100-19935)

SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE  
JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, aka.  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C;  
INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

Re Minneapolis letter to Chicago dated April 28, 1959.

[REDACTED] is a currently active paid informant of the  
Cleveland Office and is therefore not presently available  
to testify. b7DNew York will note that Cleveland memo [REDACTED] summary  
also includes information furnished by [REDACTED] This  
letter which is in preparation will contain complete  
information concerning [REDACTED] in the event needed.  
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CC: Minneapolis (100-6634) (1)

[REDACTED]  
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## Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York (100-107111)

DATE: May 13, 1953

FROM : SAC, Cleveland (100-20243)

SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE  
JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE  
aka.  
IS - C; ISA, 1950

Re New York letter to Bureau 4-1-53 and Cleveland letter  
to New York 4-21-53.

In accordance with re New York letter to the Bureau,  
the following is being submitted:

- I. EVIDENCE THAT ORGANIZATION IS SUB-  
STANTIALLY DISRUPTED, MANAGED OR  
CONTROLLED BY CP, USA OR CP AGENTS

Witness: [redacted] who has furnished reliable informa-  
tion in the past, but who is not avail-  
able to testify.

[Large redacted block of text]

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The CRC has been designated by the Attorney General of the  
United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

On August 23, 1949, FRIEDA KATZ was listed as Organizational  
Secretary of the Cuyahoga County Communist Party (C) of  
"The Worker". It is noted that on November 9, 1951, FRIEDA  
KATZ was indicted in Cleveland for violation of the Smith  
Act.

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[Handwritten signature and scribbles]



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Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] direct its fund raising activities and plan for two purposes; first, to attempt to obtain a new trial for ROSENBERG's co-defendant MORTON SOBELL and second, to raise funds in order to set up a trust fund for the ROSENBERG children. b7D-

Confidential informant [REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past, but who is not available to testify, has advised that to the best of his knowledge the CP in the Cleveland area was dominated and controlled by the CP. b7D

Confidential informant [REDACTED] has advised that BEN ROTHENBERG has been Executive Secretary of the CP in the Cleveland area. b7D

[REDACTED] has advised that [REDACTED] ROTHENBERG was a member of the CP in Washington, D.C. b7D

Witness: [REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past, but who is not available to testify. b7D

[REDACTED] has advised that [REDACTED] continue to exist and raise funds for a trust fund for the ROSENBERG children and for the further defense of MORTON SOBELL. b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] and the needs of the ROSENBERG children by the HCS 1954-55 Committee. b7D

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I. (A-1) EVIDENCE AS TO GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT OF ORGANIZATION

No evidence under this category additional to that set forth in re Cleveland letter to New York dated April 21, 1953, has been received.

I. (A-2) EVIDENCE SHOWING THAT ORGANIZATION WAS IN EXISTENCE SUCCESSIVE TO SEPTEMBER 23, 1950

As stated in relet of April 21, 1953, the Ohio Local ROS Committee was organized in Cleveland subsequent to February 13, 1952.

I. (A-3) EVIDENCE SHOWING GROWTH OF NATIONAL OFFICERS OF THE ORGANIZATION

No members of the Local Committee are known to be officers of the National Committee other than listed below:

Witness: [redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, but who is not available to testify. b7d

[redacted] advised that during the national conference of the ROS-SUBJECT Committee held October 11, 12, 1953, in the Fine Arts Building, 810 South Dearborn Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, DON ROSENBERG was made a member of the Midwest Regional Board of the national committee. b7d

I. (B) EVIDENCE AS TO ROS' ACTIVITIES IN THE MANAGEMENT, DIRECTORSHIP, SUPERVISION AND ALSO ACTIVITIES IN THE MANAGEMENT, DIRECTORSHIP OR SUPERVISION OF ANY OF THE ORGANIZATION'S

Witness: [redacted]

On June 3, 1953, a meeting of the Ohio ROSENBERG Committee was held at the home of JEROME LAND.

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and some 25 persons were in attendance. The speaker was AARON SCHNEIDER, Organizational Secretary, National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case in New York.

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past, but who is not available to testify, has advised that JERRY LAND was Chairman of the Glenville CP Club in Cleveland [REDACTED]

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Records, U. S. District Court, Cleveland, Ohio, reflect that on July 17, 1954, YETTA LAND entered an appearance as Counsel for all the Cleveland Smith Act Defendants. On July 29, 1954, after filing a notice of withdrawal, YETTA LAND entered her appearance on behalf of Smith Act Defendants FRIEDA and DAVE LAIZ as well as JOSEPH LANDA.

Confidential informant [REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past, but who is not available to testify, has advised that [REDACTED] KATHLEEN HARRY was a member of the Women's Branch of the Cuyahoga County CP.

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Confidential informant [REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past, but who is not available to testify [REDACTED]

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Witness: [REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past, but who is not available to testify.

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[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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Confidential informant [REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past, but who is not available to testify, advised that **SOPHIE BARTELL** [REDACTED] of the Glenville CP Club, Cleveland. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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Confidential informant [REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past, but who is not available to testify, advised that [REDACTED] CHARLA ROSENBERG rented space at 5107 [REDACTED] Cleveland for her book store where Communist literature of all types is available.

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Witness: [REDACTED]

On the evening of June 13, 1963, a chartered Greyhound bus left the Greyhound terminal in Cleveland, Ohio, for Washington, D.C. The bus was chartered by the Ohio Rosenberg Committee and arrangements for chartering the bus were accomplished by Mrs. DON ROTHENBERG. Thirty-seven [REDACTED] were aboard the bus.

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] has advised that **HUGH DE LACY** is Chairman of the PRO. in a signed statement received from Seattle, Washington. [REDACTED] is **HUGH DE LACY** CP [REDACTED] State of Washington.

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[redacted] has advised that E. C. GREENFIELD was publicly known as the Ohio CP Publicity Director in 1953. It is noted that GREENFIELD was indicted on November 9, 1953, at Cleveland for violation of the Smith Act. b7D

[redacted] has advised that WALKER has been Chairman of the Ohio Committee for the Smith Act Defendants (OCSAD) from the date of the inception of the committee in March, 1953. According to informant the OCSAD is controlled and directed by the Ohio Bill of Rights Conference (OBR), which is affiliated with CRC. b7D

Confidential informant [redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past and who is not available to testify, advised [redacted] that BLANCHE LIVINGSTONE was a CP member. b7D

[redacted] advised that MARY WILSON is a [redacted] of the CP [redacted] b7D

Confidential informant [redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past and who is not available to testify, advised that [redacted] WELLS was reported Chairman of the CP, [redacted] b7D

Witness: [redacted] b7D

[redacted] identified informant as [redacted] representative for the National [redacted] in the ROSENBERG Case in New York. [redacted] the committee would consist of [redacted] that its activities would be to secure justice for the ROSENBERGS, MORTON SOBELL and to raise a trust fund for the ROSENBERG children. b7D



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[REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED]  
of funds was the principal [REDACTED] of [REDACTED].

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED] b7D

Confidential informant [REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past, but who is not available to testify, advised that [REDACTED] MILTON TENNERBAUM was a member of the Bath Beach Club, Inc., 10th A.D. Kings County, New York. b7D

[REDACTED] has advised that TENNERBAUM was active in the [REDACTED] in Cleveland. [REDACTED] b7D

Witness: [REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past, but who is not available to testify. b7D

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[REDACTED]

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Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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1. (C) EVIDENCE OF EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS,  
FINANCIAL OR OTHER RECORDS, RELATING TO THE  
CP, USA OR CP FRONTS.

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There has been no evidence under this category other than  
the following:

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

b7D

II. (A) EVIDENCE OF EXPENDITURE OF  
FUNDS, FINANCIAL OR OTHER RECORDS, RELATING TO THE  
CP, USA OR CP FRONTS.

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There has been no evidence under this category other than the Local Committee



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have been used for other ROSENBERG-ET ALI Committee objectives.

II. (R) EVIDENCE OF THE LOCAL COMMITTEE POSITIONS TYPICAL OF ADMINISTRATIVE AND LEGAL FROM POSITIONS OF THE CP

There has been no evidence that the Local Committee has participated in any activity other than efforts on behalf of the ROSENBERG and MORRISON CASES.

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ADMINISTRATIVE

INFORMANTS

Identity of Source	Date of Activity and/or description of Information	Date Received	Agent or other surveillance	File Number where placed
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T-1= [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	John J. Harding, Jr. 100-100-100-100 100-100-100-100 100-100-100-100	[REDACTED] b7D
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T-2= [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED] b7D
T-3= [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED] b7C

T-4= [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED] b7D
T-5= [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED] b7D

- ✓ T-6 [REDACTED] identification only.
- ✓ T-7 [REDACTED] identification only.
- ✓ T-8 [REDACTED] identification only.
- ✓ T-10 [REDACTED] identification only.
- ✓ T-11 [REDACTED] identification only.
- ✓ T-12 [REDACTED] identification only.
- ✓ T-13 [REDACTED] identification only.
- ✓ T-14 [REDACTED] identification only.
- ✓ T-15 [REDACTED] identification only.
- ✓ T-16 [REDACTED] identification only.

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INFORMANTS

<u>Identity of Source</u>	<u>Date of Activity and/or description of Information</u>	<u>Date Received</u>	<u>Agent to whom furnished</u>	<u>File Number where located</u>
✓ T- [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	SA [REDACTED] [REDACTED] SA [REDACTED] [REDACTED] " " " " (oral)	[REDACTED]
✓ T-18= [REDACTED]	identification only.	[REDACTED]		[REDACTED]
T-19	Anonymous identification only.	[REDACTED]		
✓ T-20= [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	SA [REDACTED] [REDACTED] SA [REDACTED] [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

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APPENDIX A

Witnesses:

No descriptions are being set out for witnesses used for identification purposes only or who have merely supplied exhibits.

It is noted that by Minneapolis letter to Chicago dated April 28, 1955, cc New York, Chicago has already been requested to furnish information regarding the background and availability of [REDACTED] b7D

Not Available

T-1 [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] is presently in custody and is exposed. b7D

[REDACTED] b7D

T-5 is [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] is willing to testify, but has not been exposed. b7D

[REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED] b7D

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Available



is outstanding in appearance and manner and should make a very good witness.

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APPENDIX B

EXHIBITS

witness: [REDACTED]

1. Photostatic copies of items received through mail postmarked New York, 12-4-53, issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, 100 St. New York 13, New York.

- a) Press release dated December 1, 1953, entitled "Request for Investigation of U. S. Attorney General's Office filed with Senate Judiciary Committee", and sub-titled, "Rosenberg-Sobell Committee public brief charging improper conduct by Attorney General's Office in Rosenberg-Sobell case".
- b) Cover page of pamphlet "A Request to the Judiciary Committee of the U. S. Senate to Investigate the Conduct of the U. S. Attorney General's Office in the Rosenberg-Sobell Case".

Witness: [REDACTED]

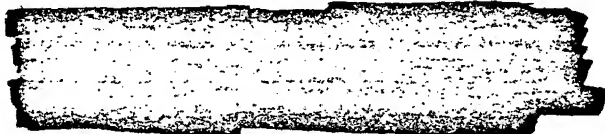
2. Photostatic copy of a leaflet issued by the Cleveland Committee to Secure Clemency for the Rosenbergs, P. O. Box 41, Cleveland 21, Ohio, and received through the mail postmarked at Cleveland, 4-14-53. The leaflet is entitled, "New Evidence Cries Out--The Rosenbergs Must Not Die!"

Witness: [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

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3. Photostatic copies of:



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- b) Clipping from page 9 of the Cleveland Press, Saturday, June 19, 1954, contains an ad of the National Committee to Secure Justice for Morton Sobell in the Rosenberg Case, 1050 Sixth Avenue, New York 18, New York. The ad is headed "1 Year June 19, 1953 June 19, 1954 Block by Block A Pyramid of Injustice".

Witness:  b7D

4. Photostatic copy of a leaflet issued by the Child Committee to Secure Clemency for the Rosenbergs entitled, "An Open Letter to the Social Service Field".

DIRECTOR, FBI (100-387635)

5/11/55

SAC, PITTSBURGH (100-11247)

REGISTERED MAIL

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE  
IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, aka;  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C; INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950  
(New York Origin)

Re New York let to Bureau, 5/2/55; Pittsburgh letters to New York,  
1/29/53 and 4/29/55; Pittsburgh let to Chicago, 4/28/55; and rep of  
SA RICHARD D. COTTER, Pittsburgh, 4/19/52.

It is noted that rerep of SA COTTER set forth information concerning  
captioned Committee, which was furnished by [redacted]  
[redacted] while mylet of 1/29/53 furnished some background information  
regarding these informants and included information concerning a throw-  
away entitled, "The ROSENBERGS Must Not Die", which was furnished by  
[redacted]. The fact that [redacted] furnished this throwaway was also  
included in mylet of 4/29/55. b7D

The following pertains to the background information of the afore-  
mentioned informants, as requested by re New York let:

AVAILABLE TO TESTIFY

[redacted]  
[former]

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[redacted]

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[redacted] furnished confidential information [redacted]  
[redacted]

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[redacted]

b7D

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cc: 1-New York (100-107111) (REGISTERED MAIL)

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[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED] is available and willing to testify.

b7D

UNAVAILABLE TO TESTIFY

[REDACTED] b7D

Complete background information regarding [REDACTED] was furnished to New

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York by mylet of 4/29/55, in which the informant was identified as [redacted].  
The same information was also set forth in mylet to Chicago, 1/23/55, a  
copy of which was furnished to New York.

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AVAILABLE BUT UNWILLING TO TESTIFY

FORMER [redacted] b7D

Former [redacted], who has not been publicly named, was discontinued as  
a Bureau informant [redacted]

but has stated that [redacted] is unwilling to testify [redacted]

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Former [redacted] is of average intelligence, is considered to have furnished reliable information in the past, and has never been compromised.

[redacted] b7D

[redacted] b7D

[redacted] b7D

On [redacted] informant advised SA JOHN R. MITCHELL that [redacted] does not wish to testify in open court or before the SACS.

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FBI, Chicago (100-25530)

FEB 10, 1955

SAC, New York (100-107111)

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, Aka, IS-C.

Reurlet to Director with CC to CG dated 5/2/55.

CG is unable to locate letter dated 2/4/53 in referenced let.

NY is requested to <sup>sub</sup>tel CG identity of informants in 2/4/53 let so that background and availability concerning same may be expeditiously submitted to NY.

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REA:JVB  
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R. Minahan

FILE # 100-107111

SUBJECT ROSENBERG/SOBELL COMMITTEE

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is exempt from disclosure, in its entirety,  
under (b)(1) as it has been classified pursuant  
to Executive Order 11652 as it contains  
information which would disclose an intelligence  
source. This serial bears the Classification  
Officers number 

## Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (100-107111)

DATE: 5/11/55

FROM : SAC, BOSTON (100-27290)

SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE  
 IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, aka  
 INTERNAL SECURITY - C  
 INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

ReNYlet to the Bureau dated 4/1/55, pertaining to a supplementary prosecutive summary report on the above-captioned organization.

Enclosed herewith is the prosecutive summary of the Boston Division, together with 30 exhibits listed in the Exhibit Appendix of this summary.

New York is being requested to prepare the necessary copies of these exhibits. Attached to each exhibit are two identifying slips, one of which bears the Boston serial number of the exhibit. The New York Division is requested to return the exhibits with the identifying serial number attached to facilitate the exhibit being identified upon its return.

In preparation of the exhibits, all extraneous markings should be blocked out.

The following descriptive material is being set out concerning the witnesses listed in the prosecutive summary who are not available to testify. These are regular or former informants of the Boston Division who have not been exposed or former members of the Communist Party who have admitted their former activities as Communists but are not willing to testify.

T-1 [REDACTED] b7D

This witness [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] reliable information in the past.  
 [REDACTED] witness.

No reason is known why [REDACTED] would not be an average

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[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

b1

[REDACTED]

b1

[REDACTED]

b1

I-4

This witness is SA CLEMENT A. O'BRIEN assigned to the Boston Division of the FBI.

[REDACTED]

b1

[REDACTED]

b1



[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] b1

b1

[REDACTED]

1-7 [REDACTED] b7D

b1

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] has furnished reliable information in the past. [REDACTED] and no reason is known why [REDACTED] would not be an average witness.

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[REDACTED] b1

[REDACTED]

b1

[REDACTED]

b1

T-9 BS 671-S

This witness is a technical surveillance.

[REDACTED]

b1

[REDACTED]

b1

T-11

This witness is SA EDWARD DUNN assigned to the Boston Division of the FBI.

T-12

This witness is SA LEO MC GINN assigned to the Boston Division of the FBI.

T-13

[REDACTED]

b7D

The Los Angeles Division has been requested to furnish the pertinent information concerning this witness.

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

b1

[REDACTED] b1

[REDACTED]

b1

[REDACTED] b1

[REDACTED]

b1

T-19

This witness is a trash cover on the home of one MARCOT CLARK.

[REDACTED] b1

[REDACTED]

b1

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T-21 [redacted] b7D

Due to the [redacted] extremes value to the Boston Division as an informant, no [redacted] and information is being furnished concerning [redacted] in order to make sure that [redacted] identity remains confidential. b7D

[redacted] b1

[Large redacted block]

[redacted] b1

[Large redacted block]

T-24 [redacted] b7D

This witness [redacted] identity should be concealed [redacted] to the assistant [redacted] and furnished this division [redacted] b7D

[REDACTED] b1

[REDACTED]

T-26 [REDACTED] b7D

b1

[REDACTED]

In the past [REDACTED] has furnished reliable information and no reason is known why [REDACTED] would not be an average witness.

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T-27 [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] identity has been concealed of [REDACTED] specific request. [REDACTED] is not a regular informant of the Boston Division. No additional information is known about this witness at the present time.

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T-28 MAX ELICHTER

The New York Division has been requested to furnish the necessary data concerning this witness.

T-29 [REDACTED] b7D

b1

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

The information furnished by [REDACTED] in the past is believed to be reliable. No reason is known why [REDACTED] would not be an average witness, but it is believed [REDACTED] would be reluctant to testify.

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T-30 [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED]

The witness was interviewed by the Boston Division [REDACTED] furnished information concerning [REDACTED] on a confidential basis and has indicated [REDACTED] would not care to testify concerning them.

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T-31 [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED]

witness was interviewed

by [REDACTED] [REDACTED] The [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

believed that [REDACTED] would probably be a reluctant witness.

It is

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE  
JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE,  
aka  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C  
INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

I. The National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case is an organization substantially directed, dominated or controlled by the Communist Party, USA.

A. Evidence Showing that the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case Was in Existence on or Subsequent to September 23, 1950, and Evidence Reflecting the Current National Officers of this Committee and the Officers of the Boston Committee of this Organization.

This witness can testify that the Boston Committee of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case has been known in Boston since its inception by the following names:

Boston Rosenberg--Sobell Committee  
Boston Chapter of the National Rosenberg--Sobell Committee  
Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg--Sobell Case  
The Rosenberg--Sobell Committee  
The Sobell Committee  
The Committee to Aid Morton Sobell.

Witness: [redacted] b7d

The June 25, 1952, edition of the "Daily Worker", an East Coast Communist newspaper, contained an article on page 3, column 5, entitled "100 at Boston Rally Map Aid in Rosenberg Case". This article discusses proceedings at a meeting sponsored by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, held at the Community Church, Boston, Massachusetts.

Witness: June 25, 1952 edition of the  
"Daily Worker"

[redacted]

Witness: [redacted] b7d

On #2 K 100-16211-9-21

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness can introduce a flyer (Exhibit 1) received by him on [REDACTED] entitled "The Final Push to Help Save the Rosenbergs". This is self-identifying as having been printed by the Boston Committee to Secure Clemency in the Rosenberg Case, 93 Massachusetts Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts. It identifies DAVID ALMAN as Executive Secretary of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HARRISON S. [REDACTED] identified himself as the National Organizational Director of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case. b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D



This witness can testify that JERRY OLINICH was distributing flyers issued by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case in front of Jordan Hall, Gainsboro Street, Boston, Massachusetts, on February 22, 1953

Witness: [REDACTED] b7d

The April 1, 1953, issue of the Nashua, New Hampshire "Telegraph", in an article entitled "Rosenberg Case" revealed that the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case had distributed literature through the Nashua, New Hampshire area by mailing the same in Nashua, New Hampshire. (Exhibit 2)

Witness: April 1, 1953, issue of the Nashua, New Hampshire "Telegraph"

The April 14, 1953, issue of the "Boston Daily Globe", a daily newspaper published in Boston, Massachusetts, carried an advertisement entitled "Must the Rosenbergs Die?", which was placed in the "Boston Daily Globe" by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, 93 Massachusetts Avenue, Room 205, Boston, Massachusetts (Exhibit 3).

Witness: April 14, 1953, issue of the "Boston Daily Globe"

[REDACTED]

b7d

- (1) A flyer entitled "Mercy for the Rosenbergs", issued by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case (Exhibit 4).
- (2) A flyer entitled "All Faiths Ask Clemency for the Rosenbergs", issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, 1050 Sixth Avenue, New York, New York (Exhibit 5).
- (3) A booklet entitled "To Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case", authored by WILLIAM A. BURN, and published by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case. This booklet identifies JOSEPH BRAUNIN as Chairman of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case and EDWIN ALLEN as the National Committee's Executive Secretary. The booklet contains a partial list of sponsors of the National Committee (Exhibit 6)

Witness: [REDACTED] b7d

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7d

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

This witness can testify that he knew EVA MAMBER as Chairman of the Rosenberg Committee on the North Shore (seacoast area North of Boston)

b7d

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

The May 8, 1953, issue of the "Dorchester Record", a weekly newspaper published in Dorchester, Massachusetts, carried an advertisement inviting attendance at an "Assembly for Mercy", sponsored by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case and which was to be held on May 14, 1953, at the Charles Street Universalist Church, Charles Street, Boston, Massachusetts (Exhibit 7).

Witness: May 8, 1953, issue of the "Dorchester Record"

[REDACTED]

LILLIAN SHUBERT, Treasurer of the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can testify

[REDACTED]

AARON SHYLER, who identified himself as the National Organizational Director for the Rosenberg Committee, spoke. He stated he had joined the organization on November 15, 1952.

[REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness can testify to being present at a public meeting sponsored by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case on May 14, 1953, held at the Charles Street Universalist Church, Boston, Massachusetts. The meeting was known as "Assembly for Mercy in the Case of Julius and Ethel Rosenberg". JOHN EVANS chaired the meeting and witness can testify that SUE KORITZ sold literature at the door.

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness can testify that he received through the mail a flyer captioned "Americans Can Be Merciful--Save the Rosenbergs". This was issued by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, Room 205, 93 Massachusetts Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts. Attached to this flyer was a typed slip of paper with the explanation that the recipient's name and address had been taken from the Telephone Directory (Exhibit 8).

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness can testify that he received through the mail a copy of the flyer described above, which is identical with Exhibit 8.

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness can testify that he received a flyer through the mail which is identical with Exhibit 8.

Witness:  b7d

The June 16, 1953 issue of the "Boston Daily Record", a daily newspaper published at Boston, Massachusetts, carried an article entitled, "State House Vigil for Rosenbergs", which described a mass meeting held at the Charles Street Universalist Church, Charles Street, Boston, Massachusetts, sponsored by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case. The article states that at this meeting it was voted to maintain a vigil at the State House Boston, Massachusetts, lasting through the execution of the ROSENBERGS; to raise a fund of \$700.00; to print and distribute 25,000 leaflets; and to send telegrams to Washington, D. C., and announce the vigil at the State House through newspaper advertisements (Exhibit 9).

Witness: June 16, 1953, edition of the "Boston Daily Record"

The June 16, 1953, edition of the "Boston Herald", a daily newspaper published at Boston, Massachusetts, carried an article captioned "All Night Vigil at State House Called as Rosenberg Protest". This discusses arrangements made for this vigil at a meeting sponsored by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case at the Charles Street Universalist Church Boston, Massachusetts, on June 15, 1953. The article states the meeting was presided over by HIRSHAN TAMSKI, who denied being the permanent Chairman of the Boston Committee. LILLIAN SHUBOW was introduced as "Temporary Secretary". The article states that LILLIAN SHUBOW has at times been identified as "Temporary Treasurer" of the Boston Committee (Exhibit 10).

Witness: June 16, 1953, edition of the "Boston Herald"

The June 18, 1953, edition of the "Boston Post", a daily newspaper published at Boston, Massachusetts, carried an article captioned "Hub Group Hits Court's Action". This discusses a demonstration sponsored by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case and held in front of the State House, Boston, Massachusetts, to protest the re-convening of the United States Supreme Court for the purpose of considering the Rosenberg Case. The Reverend AMOS B. MURPHY advised that part of this group would go to Washington, D. C., for a demonstration before the White House (Exhibit 11).

Witness: June 18, 1953, issue of the "Boston Post"

This witness can testify to receiving through the mail a flyer and an attached typed statement identical with Exhibit 8. This witness can also testify to receiving a pamphlet entitled "The Rosenberg Case" (Exhibit 12) written by D. N. PRITT and issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case. This pamphlet identified JOSEPH HEADIN as the Chairman of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

This witness can testify that the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case sent a group to picket the White House on June 10, 1955.

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

The June 20, 1953, edition of the "Boston Post" carried an article captioned "Hub Group in Plea for Spy Sobell". This reports an announcement by the Boston Committee to Secure Clemency in the Rosenberg Case that the Committee will carry on a campaign to gain the release of MORTON SOBELL, convicted "atom spy" serving 30 years in Alcatraz Prison. This article contains the statement released by the Boston Committee in connection with SOBELL (Exhibit 13).

Witness: June 20, 1953, edition of the "Boston Post"

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can testify that on June 12, 1953, at about 3:30 P.M., two women stationed themselves at the main gate of the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation at Quincy, Massachusetts, and distributed flyers identical with Exhibit 8. The witness collected six of these flyers.

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness:

[REDACTED]

b7D

The June 15, 1953, edition of the "Boston Herald" carried an advertisement of the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case announcing a meeting on that evening at the Charles Street Universalist Church, 70 Charles Street, Boston, Massachusetts. The advertisement asked readers to phone or write President EISENHOWER, asking for clemency for the ROSENBERGS (Exhibit 14).

Witness: June 15, 1953, edition of the "Boston Herald"

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness:

[REDACTED]

The June 26, 1953, issue of the "Daily Worker", in an article captioned "Rosenberg Committee Plans Fight for New Sobell Trial", states that the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case had announced that it would work to obtain a new trial for MORTON SOBELL (EXHIBIT 15).

Witness: June 26, 1953, issue of the "Daily Worker"

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can testify that [REDACTED] the officers of the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case were known to him to be as follows:

Chairman: HERMAN TANSKY [REDACTED]

Reverend AMOS MURPHY [REDACTED]

Secretary: SUE KORITZ [REDACTED]

Treasurer: LILLIAN SHUBOW [REDACTED]

b7D





[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

This witness can testify that [REDACTED] the National  
Rosenberg-Sobell Committee in the [REDACTED] as a [REDACTED] officer as such

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] announced that the [REDACTED] social w  
go to the National Rosenberg-Sobell Committee.

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

This witness can identify a pamphlet received by the witness captioned "If you Know", which was issued by the National Labor Committee for Clemency for the Rosenbergs, 1050 Sixth Avenue, New York City, New York (Exhibit 18).

Witness: 

b7d

This witness can testify to receiving through the mail the following material:

- (1) Flyer captioned "New Evidence in the Rosenberg Case", issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, New York City, New York (Exhibit 19).
- (2) Pamphlet entitled "Ethel and Julius Rosenberg's Appeal for Clemency", issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case (Exhibit 20).
- (3) Flyer captioned "Einstein Supports Rosenberg Appeal", issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case (Exhibit 21).

Witness: 

b7d

This witness can testify to receiving through the mail the following material:

- (1) Pamphlet entitled "A Scientist in Alcatraz", printed by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg-Sobell Case, 1050 Sixth Avenue, New York City, New York (Exhibit 22).
- (2) A three-page mimeographed letter entitled "Letter from a Scientist signed by JACQUES MONOD, issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice for MORTON SOBELL in the Rosenberg Case (Exhibit 23).
- (3) A printed flyer captioned "A Request to the Judiciary Committee of the United States Senate", published by the National Committee to Secure Justice for MORTON SOBELL in the Rosenberg Case. This

requests investigation of the Attorney General's Office in connection with the Rosenberg-Sobell Case (Exhibit 24).

Witness:  b7d

This witness can testify to receiving through the mail material identical with Exhibits 22 and 23.

Witness:  b7d

This witness can testify to receiving through the mail material identical with Exhibits 22 and 23.

Witness:  b7d

This witness can testify to receiving through the mail a mimeographed notice of the Boston Committee to Secure Clemency in the Rosenberg Case, dated June 10, 1953, and captioned "Schedule for Action". This announces the scheduling of a demonstration outside the White House, Washington, D. C., on Sunday, June 14, 1953 (Exhibit 25). Included with the above notice was an order blank for copies of "Death House Letters of Ethel and Julius Rosenberg" put out by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case. (EXHIBIT 26)

Witness:  b7d

  
Witness:  b7d

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

- B. Evidence of the Extent to which Persons Active in the Management, Direction or Supervision of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case and the Boston Committee, whether or not Holding Office Therein, are Active in the Management, Direction or Supervision of or Representatives of the Communist Party, U.S.A.

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

This witness can testify that she knew PHIL KOHITZ as a Communist Party member who was active in Communist Party affairs in the Winston-Salem, North Carolina area [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

This witness can testify that [REDACTED] MURRAY TALESKY [REDACTED] a member of the Marine Group of the Communist Party in Boston, Massachusetts. b7D

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

This witness can identify SUE KOEFTZ as Chairman of the Communist Party in Mattapan, Massachusetts, [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

This witness can testify that [REDACTED] JERRY OLINICH was a member of the East Boston Branch of the Communist Party, USA, District #1.

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness can identify ROBERT ARMISTEAD as a member of the Communist Party, USA, District #1.

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can testify that [REDACTED] knows WOLGER JOHNSON as having been a Communist Party member [REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can testify that EVA MAMBER joined the Communist Party [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can testify that [REDACTED] EVA MAMBER had been known to him as a Communist Party member [REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can identify Dr. BENJAMIN L. WEINSTEIN as being a Communist Party member [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness, [REDACTED] identified LAWRENCE I. [REDACTED] as having been a member of the Communist Party in Quincy, Massachusetts. [REDACTED]

Witness: 1-29

b7D

This witness, [REDACTED] identified SAM WFSHER as a member of the [REDACTED] Group of the Communist Party in Washington, D. C., [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness, [REDACTED] identified LILLIAN SHUSON as one of a group of persons known to him to be members of or associated with the Communist Party of Massachusetts.

Witness: [REDACTED]

b2D

[REDACTED]  
LEVEPETT PETERS made a statement in which he expressed his annoyance at having to conceal the fact of his Communist Party membership.

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness, [REDACTED] identified NORMAN JOSEPH SATTENBERG as a Communist Party member [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness, [REDACTED] can identify [REDACTED] as being a member of that branch of the Communist Party; [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness, [REDACTED] identified [REDACTED] as a Communist Party leader [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness, [REDACTED] identified LAWRENCE SHUBON as a member of the Communist Party Student Unit at Harvard Law School, Cambridge, Massachusetts, [REDACTED] b2d

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can testify that [REDACTED] he had known BEN LAMBY and have been a Communist Party member [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

This witness can testify that BEN LAMBY was known to him [REDACTED] as Communist Party member.

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

This witness can testify that MARILYN ZELINSKY was a member of the Tom Paine Club of the Communist Party in Boston, Massachusetts, [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

This witness can testify that MARI [REDACTED] was present at a Communist Party meeting [REDACTED] b7D

Witness: [REDACTED] b2D

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b2d



[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b1d

The "Roxbury Voice", a pamphlet issued monthly by the Communist Party Clubs of Ward 12, Roxbury, Massachusetts, on September 15, 1947, identified Mrs. FLORENCE WILLIAMS as a "well-known Communist" in Roxbury, Massachusetts.

Witness: September 15, 1947, issue of  
"Roxbury Voice"

This witness, [REDACTED] identified EDITH ADAMS as being known to the witness as a Communist Party member [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can testify that EDITH ADAMS [REDACTED] is a Communist Party [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

This witness [REDACTED] identified THEODORE COLASIMINI as being active in the Communist Party in Massachusetts.

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

In the August 15, 1949, issue of the "Daily Worker", FRANCES HOUD admits Communist Party membership. She appeared as a witness for the defense in the trial of the eleven Communist Party leaders held in New York City from January to October 1949.

Witness: August 15, 1949, issue of the  
"Daily Worker"

This witness, [REDACTED] identified FLORENCE LUSCHKE as a concealed Communist. Witness described a concealed Communist as one who does not hold himself out to be a Communist and would deny membership in the Party.

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

This witness can testify that [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] witness as a Communist Party member.

identify JAMES A. [REDACTED] to the  
b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can testify that [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] member.

[REDACTED] admitted she was a Communist Party  
b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness can testify that NATHANIEL MILLS was one of a group of picketers who picketed the White House, Washington, D. C., on behalf of the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case just prior to the scheduled execution of JULIUS and ETHEL ROSENBERG.

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can identify ROBERT GOODWIN as a Communist Party member in Lynn, Massachusetts, [REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7d

This witness can testify that JULIUS NEWMAN was a member of the Communist Party [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7d

This witness can testify that SILVIA ABELLY was a Communist Party member [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7d

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7d

This witness can testify that ANN GARFIELD was known to him to be a Communist Party member [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7d

A pamphlet circulated by the Communist Party of Massachusetts in April 1944 entitled "One Half the Nation" identifies FRANCES OLDRICH as a member of the Greater Boston Commission of the Communist Party.

Witness: Pamphlet "One Half the Nation"

C. Evidence of the Extent to Which the Support, Financial or Otherwise of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case and the Boston Committee is derived from the Communist Party, USA.

This witness can testify that SIDNEY WINSHELES, District Organizer of the Communist Party in Bristol County, Massachusetts, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Witness: T-21 b7d

[REDACTED]  
Boston Committee has a rent-free office at [REDACTED] Massachusetts  
Massachusetts [REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

The records of the Tax Assessor's Office, City Hall, Boston, Massachu-  
setts, lists MILTON BAND as owner of the building at 53 Massachusetts Avenue,  
Boston, Massachusetts.

Witness: Records, Tax Assessor's Office,  
City Hall, Boston, Massachuset  
available by subpoena of  
Chief Assessor

This witness can testify that MILTON BAND was a Communist Party member  
in Winthrop, Massachusetts, [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]  
Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]  
Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]  
Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b2D

II. The National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case and the Boston Committee is primarily operated for the purpose of giving aid and support to the Communist Party, USA.

A. Evidence of the Extent to which the Funds, Resources or Personnel of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case and the Boston Committee are used to Further or Promote the Objectives of the Communist Party, USA.

A review of the Boston file developed no evidence falling within this category.

B. Available Evidence of the Extent to Which the Positions Taken or Advanced by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case or the Boston Committee on Matters of Policy do Not Deviate From Those of the Communist Party, USA.

This witness can testify to receiving through the mail a mimeographed letter from the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, dated June 26, 1953, and signed by SUE KORITZ, Secretary, which announces the policy of the committee as:

- (1) Continuing efforts to ascertain the truth in the Rosenberg Case
- (2) Securing public support for a new trial for EUGENE SOBELL and easing of the harsh conditions of his imprisonment at Alcatraz where he is not permitted to see his children.
- (3) Caring for the two young sons of ETHEL and JULIUS ROSENBERG. (Exhibit 16)

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED] 67d

The July 1953 issue of "Political Affairs", on page 3, in an article captioned "The Rosenbergs: Heroes of Democracy", written by the National Committee of the Communist Party, USA, in part states:

"The truth about the Rosenberg Case, their innocence, the ghastly forgeries of the prosecution, and the enormous impact the Rosenbergs made in arousing the tidal wave of world protest, must now be brought to every union local, community, church and to the public generally".

Witness: July 1953 issue of  
"Political Affairs"

The July 1, 1953, issue of the "Daily Worker", in an editorial on page 5, which discusses the MORTON SOBELL case, states in part:

"Now, many are turning to the astounding case of MORTON SOBELL sentenced to 30 years in Alcatraz, as one of the defendants in the ROSENBERG frameup. As with ETHEL and JULIUS ROSENBERG, there never existed a single iota of evidence connecting SOBELL in any way with spying, atomic or otherwise."

Witness: July 1, 1953, issue of the  
"Daily Worker"

WITNESS APPENDIX

Those witnesses whose availability is indicated as not being determined will not be contacted with regard to their willingness to testify, unless it is subsequently indicated that they may be used as witness in this case.

T-1

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-2

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-3

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-4

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-5

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-6

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-7

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-8

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-9

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-10

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-11

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-12

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-13

[REDACTED] has been requested to furnish this witness' availability, reliability and background information.

T-14

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-15

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-16

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-18

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-19

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-20

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.



T-21

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-22

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-23

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-24

This witness' reliability is not known. [redacted] whose availability to testify has not been determined. [redacted] testified had been concealed at [redacted] own request due to the type of information [redacted] furnished in this instance. b7D

T-25

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-26

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-27

[redacted] Boston Office has had no experience with this witness and a independent [redacted] reliability. [redacted] availability to testify has not been determined. [redacted] was concealed at his own request. b2d

T-28

The reliability and availability to testify and the background of this witness are being furnished by the New York Division.

T-29

[redacted] reliability is not known although he has furnished some reliable information in the past, [redacted] availability to testify has not been determined.

T-31

b7d

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

b7D

This witness

reliability is not known and his availability as a witness has not been determined.

b7D

The reliability of this witness is not known and his availability as a witness has not been determined.

b7d

The reliability of this witness is not known and his availability as a witness has not been determined.

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The reliability of this witness is not known and his availability as a witness has not been determined.

b7d

The reliability of this witness is not known and his availability as a witness has not been determined.

b7d

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and his availability as a witness has not been determined.

[REDACTED]

b7d

The reliability of this witness is not known and his availability as a witness has not been determined.

[REDACTED]

b7d

The reliability of this witness is not known and her availability as a witness has not been determined.

[REDACTED]

b7d

The reliability of this witness is not known and his availability as a witness has not been determined.

[REDACTED]

b7d

This witness' reliability is not known and her availability as a witness has not been determined.

[REDACTED]

b7d

This witness' reliability is not known and his availability as a witness has not been determined.

[REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

The Charlotte Division has been requested to furnish the witness' reliability and to determine his availability as a witness and furnish background information concerning [REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

b7D

The Baltimore Division has been requested to furnish this witness' reliability and availability as a witness and background information concerning [REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D, [REDACTED]

has, in the past, furnished reliable information and is a former confidential informant of the Boston Division. [REDACTED] has indicated a willingness to testify on previous occasions but has not been contacted in regard to testifying in this particular instance. b7D

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] b7D

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and has indicated that he is willing to testify. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] b7D

This witness [REDACTED] has furnished reliable information in the past. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED] The department is aware of this witness's background, reliability, and availability as a witness.

[REDACTED] b7D

This witness [REDACTED] has furnished reliable information in the past. [REDACTED] availability is not known to the Boston Division.

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EXHIBIT APPENDIX

- EXHIBIT #1:** Flyer entitled "The Final Push to Help Save the Rosenbergs" printed by the Boston Committee to Secure Clemency in the Rosenberg Case.
- EXHIBIT #2:** April 1, 1953, issue of the Nashua, New Hampshire "Telegraph" containing article entitled "Rosenberg Case".
- EXHIBIT #3:** April 14, 1953, issue of the "Boston Daily Globe" advertisement entitled "Must the Rosenbergs Die".
- EXHIBIT #4:** Flyer "Mercy for the Rosenbergs" published by the Boston Committee to Secure Clemency in the Rosenberg Case.
- EXHIBIT #5:** Flyer "All Faiths Ask Clemency for the Rosenbergs" published by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, 1050 Sixth Avenue, New York City.
- EXHIBIT #6:** Booklet "To Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case" by WILLIAM A. REUBEN, published by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, identifying Chairman and Secretary of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case and a partial list of sponsors.
- EXHIBIT #7:** Advertisement appearing in May 6, 1953, issue of the "Dorchester Record" announcing an "Assembly of Mercy" on May 14, 1953, at the Charles Street Universalist Meeting House, Boston, Massachusetts, sponsored by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.
- EXHIBIT #8:** A flyer captioned "Americans Can Be Merciful—Save the Rosenbergs" issued by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, Room 205, 93 Massachusetts Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts. Attached to the flyer is a typed slip of paper explaining that recipient's name was taken from the telephone directory.
- EXHIBIT #9:** Article captioned "State House Vigil for Rosenbergs" appearing in the June 16, 1953, edition of the "Boston Daily Record".
- EXHIBIT #10:** Article in June 16, 1953, edition of "Boston Herald" captioned "All Night Vigil at State House Called as Rosenberg Protest", which identifies HERMAN TAKSAY as "Temporary Chairman" of the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, and LILLIAM SKUBOW as "Temporary Secretary" and "Temporary Treasurer."

- EXHIBIT #11:** Article in June 18, 1953, edition of the "Boston Post" captioned "Hub Group Hits Court's Action" describing demonstration in front of the State House, Boston, Massachusetts, and contemplated demonstration before the White House, Washington, D. C.
- EXHIBIT #12:** Pamphlet entitled "The Rosenberg Case" by D. M. PRITT, issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, and identifying JOSEPH BRAUNIN as Chairman of the National Committee.
- EXHIBIT #13:** Article captioned "Hub Group in Plea for Spy SOBELL" in June 20, 1953, edition of "Boston Post", containing statement released by the Boston Committee to Secure Clemency in the Rosenberg Case.
- EXHIBIT #14:** Advertisement of Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case appearing in June 17, 1953, edition of the "Boston Herald", announcing a meeting on that date in behalf of the ROSENBERGS and urging people to phone or wire President EISENHOWER seeking clemency.
- EXHIBIT #15:** Article in June 26, 1953, edition of the "Daily Worker" captioned "Rosenberg Committee Plans Fight for Max Sobell Trial".
- EXHIBIT #16:** Micrographed letter from the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, dated June 26, 1953, signed LEO KORNITZ, Secretary, announcing statement of policy.
- EXHIBIT #17:** [REDACTED]
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- EXHIBIT #18:** Leaflet entitled "If You Know" issued by the National Labor Committee for Clemency for the Rosenbergs, 1090 Sixth Avenue, New York City, New York.
- EXHIBIT #19:** Flyer captioned "New Evidence in the Rosenberg Case" issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.
- EXHIBIT #20:** Pamphlet entitled "Ethel and Julius Rosenbergs Appeal for Clemency" issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.
- EXHIBIT #21:** Flyer captioned "Einstein Supports Rosenbergs Appeal" issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.
- EXHIBIT #22:** Pamphlet issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg-Sobell Case entitled "The Scientist in Alcatraz".

EXHIBIT #23: Three-page mimeographed letter issued by the Committee to Secure Justice for Morton Sobell in the Rosenberg Case entitled "Letter From a Scientist" signed JACQUES MONOD.

EXHIBIT #24: "A request to the Judiciary Committee of the United States Senate" published by the National Committee to Secure Justice for Morton Sobell in the Rosenberg Case.

EXHIBIT #25: Mimeographed notice dated June 10, 1953, of the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case captioned "Schedule for Action", announcing demonstration to be held at Washington, D.C., on June 14, 1953.

EXHIBIT #26: Order blank for "Death House Business" put out by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.

EXHIBIT #27:

[REDACTED]

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EXHIBIT #28:

[REDACTED]

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EXHIBIT #29:

[REDACTED]

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EXHIBIT #30:

[REDACTED]

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE  
JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE,  
aka  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C  
INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

I. The National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case is an organization substantially directed, dominated or controlled by the Communist Party, USA.

A. Evidence Showing that the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case Was in Existence On or Subsequent to September 23, 1950, and Evidence Reflecting the Current National Officers of this Committee and the Officers of the Boston Committee of this Organization.

This witness can testify that the Boston Committee of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case has been known in Boston since its inception by the following names:

Boston Rosenberg--Sobell Committee  
Boston Chapter of the National Rosenberg--Sobell Committee  
Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg--Sobell Case  
The Rosenberg--Sobell Committee  
The Sobell Committee  
The Committee to Aid Morton Sobell.

Witness:  b7d

The June 25, 1952, edition of the "Daily Worker", an East Coast Communist newspaper, contained an article on page 5, column 5, entitled "100 at Boston Rally Map Aid in Rosenberg Case". This article discusses proceedings at a meeting sponsored by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, held at the Community Church, Boston, Massachusetts.

Witness: June 25, 1952 edition of the  
"Daily Worker"

  
Witness:  b7d

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

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This witness can introduce a flyer (Exhibit 1) received by him on [REDACTED] entitled "The Final Push to Help Save the Rosenbergs". This is self-identifying as having been printed by the Boston Committee to Secure Clemency in the Rosenberg Case, 93 Massachusetts Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts. It identifies DAVID ALMAN as Executive Secretary of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.

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Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

identified himself as the National Organizational Director of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case. b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D

This witness can testify that JUDY OLDRICH was distributing flyers issued by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case in front of Jordan Hall, Gainsboro Street, Boston, Massachusetts, on February 22, 1953

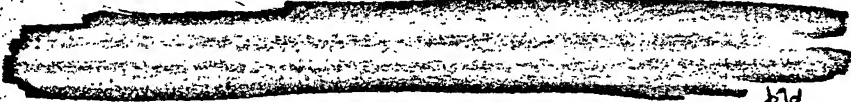
Witness: [redacted] b7d

The April 1, 1953, issue of the Nashua, New Hampshire "Telegraph", in an article entitled "Rosenberg Case" revealed that the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case had distributed literature through the Nashua, New Hampshire area by mailing the same in Nashua, New Hampshire. (Exhibit 2)

Witness: April 1, 1953, issue of the Nashua, New Hampshire "Telegraph"

The April 14, 1953, issue of the "Boston Daily Globe", a daily newspaper published in Boston, Massachusetts, carried an advertisement entitled "Must the Rosenbergs Die?", which was placed in the "Boston Daily Globe" by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, 53 Massachusetts Avenue, Room 205, Boston, Massachusetts (Exhibit 3).

Witness: April 14, 1953, issue of the "Boston Daily Globe"



- b7d
- (1) A flyer entitled "Mercy for the Rosenbergs", issued by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case (Exhibit 4).
  - (2) A flyer entitled "All Faiths Ask Clemency for the Rosenbergs", issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, 1050 Sixth Avenue, New York, New York (Exhibit 5).
  - (3) A booklet entitled "To Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case", authored by WILLIAM A. LUBIN, and published by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case. This booklet identifies JOSEPH BRADIN as Chairman of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case and IRVING ALMAN as the National Committee's Executive Secretary. The booklet contains a partial list of sponsors of the National Committee (Exhibit 6).

Witness: [redacted] b7d

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7d

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7d

This witness can testify that he knew EVA MARBER as Chairman of the Rosenberg Committee on the North Shore (seacoast area North of Boston)

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7d

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

The May 8, 1953, issue of the "Dorchester Record", a weekly newspaper published in Dorchester, Massachusetts, carried an advertisement inviting attendance at an "Assembly for Mercy", sponsored by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case and which was to be held on May 11, 1953, at the Charles Street Universalist Church, Charles Street, Boston, Massachusetts (Exhibit 7).

Witness: May 8, 1953, issue of the "Dorchester Record"

[REDACTED]

LILLIAN SHUBIN as treasurer of the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.

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Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can testify

[REDACTED]

AARON SWILER, who identified himself as the National Organizational Director for the Rosenberg Committee, spoke. He stated that he was in the organization on November 15, 1952.

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness can testify to being present at a public meeting sponsored by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case on May 14, 1953, held at the Charles Street Universalist Church, Boston, Massachusetts. The meeting was known as "Assembly for Mercy in the Case of Julius and Ethel Rosenberg". JOHN EVANS chaired the meeting and witness can testify that SUE KORITZ sold literature at the door.

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness can testify that he received through the mail a flyer captioned "Americans Can Be Merciful--Save the Rosenbergs". This was issued by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, Room 205, 93 Massachusetts Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts. Attached to this flyer was a typed slip of paper with the explanation that the recipient's name and address had been taken from the Telephone Directory (Exhibit B).

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness can testify that he received through the mail a copy of the flyer described above, which is identical with Exhibit B.

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness can testify that he received a flyer through the mail which is identical with Exhibit 8.

Witness:  b7d

The June 16, 1953 issue of the "Boston Daily Record", a daily news paper published at Boston, Massachusetts, carried an article entitled, "State House Vigil for Rosenbergs", which described a mass meeting held at the Charles Street Universalist Church, Charles Street, Boston, Massachusetts, sponsored by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case. The article states that at this meeting it was voted to maintain a vigil at the State House Boston, Massachusetts, lasting through the execution of the ROSENBERGS; to raise a fund of \$700.00; to print and distribute 25,000 leaflets; and to send telegrams to Washington, D. C., and announce the vigil at the State House through newspaper advertisements (Exhibit 9).

Witness: June 16, 1953, edition of the "Boston Daily Record"

The June 16, 1953, edition of the "Boston Herald", a daily newspaper published at Boston, Massachusetts, carried an article captioned "All Night Vigil at State House Called as Rosenberg Protest". This discusses arrangements made for this vigil at a meeting sponsored by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case at the Charles Street Universalist Church Boston, Massachusetts, on June 15, 1953. The article states the meeting was presided over by HIRSH TAMSKY, who denied being the permanent Chairman of the Boston Committee. LILLIAN SHURON was introduced as "Temporary Secretary". The article states that LILLIAN SHURON has at times been identified as "Temporary Treasurer" of the Boston Committee (Exhibit 10).

Witness: June 16, 1953, edition of the "Boston Herald"

The June 18, 1953, edition of the "Boston Post", a daily newspaper published at Boston, Massachusetts, carried an article captioned "Hub Group Hits Court's Action". This discusses a demonstration sponsored by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case and held in front of the State House, Boston, Massachusetts, to protest the re-convening of the United States Supreme Court for the purpose of considering the Rosenberg Case. The Reverend AMOS B. MURPHY advised that part of this group would go to Washington, D. C., for a demonstration before the White House (Exhibit 11).

Witness: June 18, 1953, issue of the "Boston Post"

This witness can testify to receiving through the mail a flyer and an attached typed statement identical with exhibit 8. This witness can also testify to receiving a pamphlet entitled "The Rosenberg Case" (Exhibit 12) written by D. N. PRITT and issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case. This pamphlet identified JOSEPH LEADNIN as the Chairman of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

This witness can testify that the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case sent a group to picket the White House on June 18, 1955.

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

The June 20, 1953, edition of the "Boston Post" carried an article captioned "Hub Group in Plea for Spy Sobell". This reports an announcement by the Boston Committee to Secure Clemency in the Rosenberg Case that the Committee will carry on a campaign to gain the release of MORTA SOBELL, convicted "atom spy" serving 30 years in Alcatraz Prison. This article contains the statement released by the Boston Committee in connection with SOBELL (Exhibit 13).

Witness: June 20, 1953, edition of the "Boston Post"

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can testify that on June 12, 1953, at about 3:30 P.M., two women stationed themselves at the main gate of the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation at Quincy, Massachusetts, and distributed flyers identical with Exhibit 8. The witness collected six of these flyers.

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d



[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness:

[REDACTED]

b7D

The June 15, 1953, edition of the "Boston Herald" carried an advertisement of the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case announcing a meeting on that evening at the Charles Street Universalist Church, 70 Charles Street, Boston, Massachusetts. The advertisement asked readers to phone or write President I'SENHOWER, asking for clemency for the ROSENBERGS (Exhibit 14).

Witness: June 15, 1953, edition of the "Boston Herald"

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness:

[REDACTED]

The June 26, 1953, issue of the "Daily Worker", in an article captioned "Rosenberg Committee Plans Fight for Max Sobell Trial", states that the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case had announced that it would work to obtain a new trial for MORTON SOBELL (EXHIBIT 15).

Witness: June 26, 1953, issue of the "Daily Worker"

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can testify that [REDACTED] the officers of the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg case were known to him to be as follows:

Chairman: HERMAN TANSKY [REDACTED]

Reverend ANOS MURPHY [REDACTED]

Secretary: SUE KORITZ [REDACTED]

Treasurer: LILLIAN SHUBOW [REDACTED]

b7D



[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

This witness can testify that [REDACTED] the National Rosenberg-Sobell Committee in the [REDACTED] a witness as such

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED] announced that the [REDACTED] from this social w  
go to the National Rosenberg-Sobell Committee.

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

This witness can identify a pamphlet received by the witness captioned "If you Knew", which was issued by the National Labor Committee for Clemency for the Rosenbergs, 1050 Sixth Avenue, New York City, New York (Exhibit 18).

Witness: 

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This witness can testify to receiving through the mail the following material:

- (1) Flyer captioned "New Evidence in the Rosenberg Case", issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, New York City, New York (Exhibit 19).
- (2) Pamphlet entitled "Eitel and Julius Rosenberg's Appeal for Clemency", issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case (Exhibit 20).
- (3) Flyer captioned "Einstein Supports Rosenberg Appeal", issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case (Exhibit 21).

Witness: 

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This witness can testify to receiving through the mail the following material:

- (1) Pamphlet entitled "A Scientist in Alcatraz", printed by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg-Sobell Case, 1050 Sixth Avenue, New York City, New York (Exhibit 22).
- (2) A three-page mimeographed letter entitled "Letter from a Scientist" signed by JACQUES MONOD, issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice for MORTON SOBELL in the Rosenberg Case (Exhibit 23).
- (3) A printed flyer captioned "A Request to the Judiciary Committee of the United States Senate", published by the National Committee to Secure Justice for MORTON SOBELL in the Rosenberg Case. This

requests investigation of the Attorney General's Office in connection with the Rosenberg-Sobell Case (Exhibit 24).

Witness:  b7d

This witness can testify to receiving through the mail material identical with Exhibits 22 and 23.

Witness:  b7d

This witness can testify to receiving through the mail material identical with Exhibits 22 and 23.

Witness:  b7d

This witness can testify to receiving through the mail a mimeograph notice of the Boston Committee to Secure Clemency in the Rosenberg Case, dated June 10, 1953, and captioned "Schedule for Action". This announces the scheduling of a demonstration outside the White House, Washington, D. C., on Sunday, June 14, 1953 (Exhibit 25). Included with the above notice was an order blank for copies of "Death House Letters of Ethel and Julius Rosenberg" put out by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case. (EXHIBIT 26)

Witness:  b7d

  
Witness:  b7d

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

B. Evidence of the Extent to which Persons Active in the Management, Direction or Supervision of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case and the Boston Committee, whether or not Holding Office Therein, are Active in the Management, Direction or Supervision of or Representatives of the Communist Party, U.S.A.

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

This witness can testify that she knew PHIL KOBITZ as a Communist Party member who was active in Communist Party affairs in the Winston-Salem, North Carolina area [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

This witness can testify that [REDACTED] HIRSH TANSKY [REDACTED] a member of the Marine Group of the Communist Party in Boston, Massachusetts. b7D

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

This witness can identify SUE KOBITZ as Chairman of the Communist Party in Mattapan, Massachusetts, [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

This witness can testify that [REDACTED] JERRY OLDRICH was a member of the East Boston Branch of the Communist Party, USA, District #1.

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness can identify ROBERT ARISTEAD as a member of the Communist Party, USA, District #1.

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can testify that [REDACTED] known WOLGER JOHNSON as having been a Communist Party member [REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] This witness can testify that EVA MAMBER joined the Communist Party

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can testify that [REDACTED] EVA MAMBER had been known to him as a Communist Party member [REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can identify Dr. BENJAMIN L. REINSTEIN as being a Communist Party member [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness, [REDACTED] identified LAWRENCE [REDACTED] as having been a member of the Communist Party in Quincy, Massachusetts, [REDACTED]

Witness: I-22

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This witness, [REDACTED] identified SAM WESHER as a member of the [REDACTED] Group of the Communist Party in Washington, D. C., [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness, [REDACTED] identified LILLIAN SHUBOW as one of a group of persons known to him to be members of or associated with the Communist Party of Massachusetts.

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]  
LEVERETT PETERS made a statement in which he expressed his annoyance at having to conceal the fact of his Communist Party membership.

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness, [REDACTED] identified NORMAN JOSEPH SALZMAN as a Communist Party member [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness, [REDACTED] can identify [REDACTED] as being a member of that branch of the Communist Party [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness, [REDACTED] identified SIDNEY [REDACTED] as a Communist Party leader [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

b7D

This witness, [redacted] identified LAWRENCE SHUBERT as a member of the Communist Party Student Unit at Harvard Law School, Cambridge, Massachusetts, [redacted] b7D

Witness: [redacted]

This witness can testify that [redacted] he had known BEN LANDY and have been a Communist Party member [redacted]

Witness: [redacted] b7D

This witness can testify that BEN LANDY was known to him [redacted] as a Communist Party member.

Witness: [redacted] b7D

This witness can testify that MARILYN ZIMMERMAN was a member of the Tom Paine Club of the Communist Party in Boston, Massachusetts, [redacted]

Witness: [redacted] b7D

This witness can testify that MARILYN ZIMMERMAN was present at a Communist Party meeting [redacted] b7D

Witness: [redacted] b7D

[redacted]

Witness: [redacted] b7D

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b1d

The "Roxbury Voice", a pamphlet issued monthly by the Communist Party Clubs of Ward 12, Roxbury, Massachusetts, on September 15, 1947, identified Mrs. FLORENCE WILLIAMS as a "well-known Communist" in Roxbury, Massachusetts.

Witness: September 15, 1947, issue of  
"Roxbury Voice"

This witness, [REDACTED] identified EDITH ANNE [REDACTED] as being known to the witness as a Communist Party member [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can testify that EDITH ANNE [REDACTED] is a Communist Party [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

This witness [REDACTED] identified THEODORE GOLDBERIN as being active in the Communist Party in Massachusetts.

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

In the August 15, 1949, issue of the "Daily Worker", FRANCES HODD admits Communist Party membership. She appeared as a witness for the defense in the trial of the eleven Communist Party leaders held in New York City from January to October 1949.

Witness: August 15, 1949, issue of the  
"Daily Worker"

This witness, [REDACTED] identified FLORENCE LUSCIE as a concealed Communist. Witness described a concealed Communist as one who does not hold himself out to be a Communist and would deny membership in the Party.

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

This witness can testify that [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] witness as a Communist Party member.

identification of [REDACTED] to the  
b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can testify that [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] FLORENCE TALENT,  
member.

[REDACTED] admitted she was a Communist Party  
b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

This witness can testify that NATHANIEL WILLS was one of a group of picketers who picketed the White House, Washington, D. C., on behalf of the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case just prior to the scheduled execution of JULIUS and ETHEL ROSENBERG.

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

This witness can identify ROBERT GOODWIN as a Communist Party member in Lynn, Massachusetts, [REDACTED]

b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

This witness can testify that JULIUS MORGAN was a member of the Communist Party [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

This witness can testify that SILVIA KELLY was a Communist Party member [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

This witness can testify that ANN GARFIELD was known to him to be a Communist Party member [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7d

A pamphlet circulated by the Communist Party of Massachusetts in April 1944 entitled "One Half the Nation" identifies FRANCES OLRICH as a member of the Greater Boston Commission of the Communist Party.

Witness: Pamphlet "One Half the Nation"

- C. Evidence of the Extent to Which the Support, Financial or Otherwise, of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case and the Boston Committee is derived from the Communist Party, USA.

This witness can testify that SIDNEY LIPSCHES, District Organizer of the Communist Party in Bristol County, Massachusetts, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Witness: T-21

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[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] the  
Boston Committee has a part-time office at 7 [REDACTED] Boston,  
Massachusetts [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

The records of the Tax Assessor's Office, City Hall, Boston, Massachu-  
setts, lists MILTON BARD as owner of the building at 53 Massachusetts Avenue,  
Boston, Massachusetts.

Witness: Records, Tax Assessor's Office,  
City Hall, Boston, Massachuset  
available by subpoena of  
Chief Assessor

This witness can testify that MILTON BARD was a Communist Party member  
[REDACTED] in Winthrop, Massachusetts, [REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED] b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] b7D

Witness: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

Witness: [REDACTED]

b7D

II. The National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case and the Boston Committee is primarily operated for the purpose of giving aid and support to the Communist Party, USA.

A. Evidence of the Extent to Which the Funds, Resources or Personnel of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case and the Boston Committee are used to Further or Promote the Objectives of the Communist Party, USA.

A review of the Boston file developed no evidence falling within this category.

B. Available Evidence of the Extent to Which the Positions Taken or Advanced by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case or the Boston Committee on Matters of Policy do Not Deviate From Those of the Communist Party, USA.

This witness can testify to receiving through the mail a mimeographed letter from the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, dated June 26, 1953, and signed by SUE KORITZ, Secretary, which announces the policy of the committee as:

- (1) Continuing efforts to ascertain the truth in the Rosenberg Case
- (2) Securing public support for a new trial for EUGENE SOBELEW and easing of the harsh conditions of his imprisonment at Alcatraz where he is not permitted to see his children.
- (3) Caring for the two young sons of ETHEL and JULIUS ROSENBERG.  
(Exhibit 16)

Witness: [REDACTED]

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Witness:  b7d

The July 1953 issue of "Political Affairs", on page 3, in an article captioned "The Rosenbergs: Heroes of Democracy", written by the National Committee of the Communist Party, USA, in part states:

"The truth about the Rosenberg Case, their innocence, the ghastly forgeries of the prosecution, and the enormous impact the Rosenbergs made in arousing the tidal wave of world protest, must now be brought to every union local, community, church and to the public generally".

Witness: July 1953 issue of  
"Political Affairs"

The July 1, 1953, issue of the "Daily Worker", in an editorial on page 5, which discusses the MORTON SOBELL case, states in part:

"Now, many are turning to the astounding case of MORTON SOBELL sentenced to 30 years in Alcatraz, as one of the defendants in the ROSENBERG frameup. As with ETHEL and JULIUS ROSENBERG, there never existed a single iota of evidence connecting SOBELL in any way with spying, atomic or otherwise."

Witness: July 1, 1953, issue of the  
"Daily Worker"



WITNESS APPENDIX

Those witnesses whose availability is indicated as not being determined will not be contacted with regard to their willingness to testify, unless it is subsequently indicated that they may be used as witness in this case.

T-1

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-2

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-3

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-4

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-5

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-6

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-7

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-8

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-9

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-10

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-11

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-12

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-13

[REDACTED] has been requested to furnish this witness' availability, reliability and background information.

T-14

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-15

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-16

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-18

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

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This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

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This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-21

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-22

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-23

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-24

This witness' reliability is not known. [redacted] whose availability to testify has not been determined. [redacted] testified that he concealed at [redacted] own request due to the type of information [redacted] furnished in this instance. b7D

T-25

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-26

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

T-27

[redacted] The Boston Office has had no experience with this witness which would indicate [redacted] reliability. [redacted] availability to testify has not been determined. [redacted] identity was concealed at his own request. b7d

T-28

The reliability and availability to testify and the background of this witness are being furnished by the New York Division.

T-29

[redacted] reliability is not known although he has furnished some reliable information in the past, [redacted] availability to testify has not been determined.

T-31

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This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and is not available to testify.

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This witness

reliability is not known and his availability as a witness has not been determined.

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The reliability of this witness is not known and his availability as a witness has not been determined.

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This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and his availability as a witness has not been determined.

[REDACTED]

b7d

The reliability of this witness is not known and his availability as a witness has not been determined.

[REDACTED]

b7d

The reliability of this witness is not known and her availability as a witness has not been determined.

[REDACTED]

b7d

The reliability of this witness is not known and his availability as a witness has not been determined.

[REDACTED]

b7d

This witness' reliability is not known and her availability as a witness has not been determined.

[REDACTED]

b7d

This witness' reliability is not known and his availability as a witness has not been determined.

[REDACTED]

b7D

[REDACTED]

The Charlotte Division has been requested to furnish the witness' reliability and to determine his availability as a witness and furnish background information concerning [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

b7D

The Baltimore Division has been requested to furnish this witness' reliability and availability as a witness and background information concerning [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D, [REDACTED]

has, in the past, furnished reliable information and is a known confidential Informant of the Boston Division. [REDACTED] has indicated a willingness to testify on previous occasions but has not been contacted in regard to testifying in this particular instance. b7D

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

This witness has furnished reliable information in the past and has indicated that he is willing to testify. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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This witness [REDACTED] has furnished reliable information in the past. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] The Department is aware of this witness's background, reliability, and availability as a witness.

[REDACTED] b7D

This witness [REDACTED] has furnished reliable information in the past. [REDACTED] availability as known to the Boston Division.

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EXHIBIT APPENDIX

- EXHIBIT #1: Flyer entitled "The Final Push to Help Save the Rosenbergs" printed by the Boston Committee to Secure Clemency in the Rosenberg Case.
- EXHIBIT #2: April 1, 1953, issue of the Nashua, New Hampshire "Telegraph" containing article entitled "Rosenberg Case".
- EXHIBIT #3: April 14, 1953, issue of the "Boston Daily Globe" advertisement entitled "Must the Rosenbergs Die".
- EXHIBIT #4: Flyer "Mercy for the Rosenbergs" published by the Boston Committee to Secure Clemency in the Rosenberg Case.
- EXHIBIT #5: Flyer "All Faiths Ask Clemency for the Rosenbergs" published by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, 1050 Sixth Avenue, New York City.
- EXHIBIT #6: Booklet "To Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case" by WILLIAM A. REUBEN, published by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, identifying Chairman and Secretary of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case and a partial list of sponsors.
- EXHIBIT #7: Advertisement appearing in May 6, 1953, issue of the "Dorchester Record" announcing an "Assembly of Mercy" on May 16, 1953, at the Charles Street Universalist Meeting House, Boston, Massachusetts, sponsored by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.
- EXHIBIT #8: A flyer captioned "Americans Can Be Merciful—Save the Rosenbergs" issued by the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, Room 205, 93 Massachusetts Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts. Attached to the flyer is a typed slip of paper explaining that recipient's name was taken from the telephone directory.
- EXHIBIT #9: Article captioned "State House Vigil for Rosenbergs" appearing in the June 16, 1953, edition of the "Boston Daily Record".
- EXHIBIT #10: Article in June 16, 1953, edition of "Boston Herald" captioned "All Night Vigil at State House Called as Rosenberg Protest", which identifies HERMAN TAVSKY as "Temporary Chairman" of the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, and LILLIAN SHUBOW as "Temporary Secretary" and "Temporary Treasurer."




- EXHIBIT #11:** Article in June 18, 1953, edition of the "Boston Post" captioned "Hub Group Hits Court's Action" describing demonstration in front of the State House, Boston, Massachusetts, and contemplated demonstration before the White House, Washington, D. C.
- EXHIBIT #12:** Pamphlet entitled "The Rosenberg Case" by D. N. FRITT, issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, and identifying JOSEPH BRAUNIN as Chairman of the National Committee.
- EXHIBIT #13:** Article captioned "Hub Group in Plea for Spy SOBELL" in June 20, 1953, edition of "Boston Post", containing statement released by the Boston Committee to Secure Clemency in the Rosenberg Case.
- EXHIBIT #14:** Advertisement of Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case appearing in June 17, 1953, edition of the "Boston Herald", announcing a meeting on that date in behalf of the ROSENBERGS and urging people to phone or wire President EISENHOWER seeking clemency.
- EXHIBIT #15:** Article in June 26, 1953, edition of the "Daily Worker" captioned "Rosenberg Committee Plans Fight for New Sobell Trial".
- EXHIBIT #16:** Mimeographed letter from the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, dated June 26, 1953, signed SAM KURTZ, Secretary, announcing statement of policy.
- EXHIBIT #17:**  b7d
- EXHIBIT #18:** Leaflet entitled "If You Kneak" issued by the National Labor Committee for Clemency for the Rosenbergs, 1050 Sixth Avenue, New York City, New York.
- EXHIBIT #19:** Flyer captioned "New Evidence in the Rosenberg Case" issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.
- EXHIBIT #20:** Pamphlet entitled "Ethel and Julius Rosenbergs Appeal for Clemency" issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.
- EXHIBIT #21:** Flyer captioned "Einstein Supports Rosenberg Appeal" issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.
- EXHIBIT #22:** Pamphlet issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in Rosenberg-Sobell Case entitled "The Scientist in Alcatraz".

EXHIBIT #23: Three-page mimeographed letter issued by the Committee to Secure Justice for Morton Sobell in the Rosenberg Case entitled "Letter From a Scientist" signed JACQUES MONOD.

EXHIBIT #24: "A request to the Judiciary Committee of the United States Senate" published by the National Committee to Secure Justice for Morton Sobell in the Rosenberg Case.


EXHIBIT #25: Mimeographed notice dated June 10, 1953, of the Boston Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case captioned "Schedule for Action", announcing demonstration to be held at Washington, D.C., on June 11, 1953.

EXHIBIT #26: Order blank for "Death House Letters" put out by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.

EXHIBIT #27:  b7d

EXHIBIT #28:  b7d

EXHIBIT #29:  b7d

EXHIBIT #30:  b7d

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72	5/13/55	SAC WFO LETTER TO NY SA-	3	3		
72	5/13/55	COPY OF 72	3	3		DUP 3
72A	5/16/55	SL SAC LETTER TO NY SAC	4	4		
72B	5/16/55	BA SAC LETTER TO NY SAC	11	11		
72B	5/16/55	COPY OF 72B	11	11		DUP 11
73	5/16/55	SL SAC LETTER TO NY	21	20		
73	5/16/55	COPY OF 73 LETTER	21	20		DUP 20
74	5/17/55	PH SAC LETTER TO NY SAC	4	4		
74	5/17/55	COPY OF 74 LETTER	4	4		DUP 4
75	5/18/55	TRANSMIT COPY NY TELETYPE TO CG	1	1		
75	5/18/55	TYPED COPY NY TELETYPE TO CG	1	1		DUP 1
76	5/17/55	CG SAC LETTER TO NY SAC	2	2		

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76	5/17/55	<del>76</del> COPY OF 76	2	2		DUP 2 1
77	5/18/55	LA SAC LETTER TO DE SAC	2	2		
78	5/18/55	RH SAC LETTER TO NY SAC	2	2		
78	5/18/55	COPY OF 78 BS LETTER TO NY WITH	2	2		DUP 2
79	5/18/55	WITNESS APPENDIX	6	6		
79	5/18/55	BS SAC LETTER TO NY SAC	1	1		DUP 1
80	5/19/55	DE SAC LETTER TO NY SAC	1	1		
80	5/19/55	COPY OF 80 WITH COPY	1	1		DUP 1
81	5/24/55	BA TELETYPE TO NY SAC	1	1		DUP 1
82	5/25/55	I SAC LETTER TO NY SAC	6	6		
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93	5/27/55	CE SAC LETTER TO NY SAC	2	2		
83	5/27/55	COPY OF 83 LETTER	2	2		DUP 2
84	5/27/55	PX SAC LETTER TO NY SAC	1	1		
84	5/27/55	COPY OF 84 LETTER	1	1		DUP 1
95	6/3/55	SL SAC LETTER TO NY SAC	6	6		
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87	6/7/55	SL SAC AIRTEL TO PX	1	1		
87	6/7/55	COPY OF 87	1	1		DUP 1
88	6/8/55	SL SAC AIRTEL TO PX	1	1		

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SAC, NEW YORK (100-10711)

5/13/55

SAC, WFO (100-25474)

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE  
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aka,  
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An examination of referenced letter dated 2/11/53 reveals that information set forth in this letter regarding the captioned organization emanated from [redacted] and [redacted].

It is pointed out that complete characterization of [redacted] and [redacted] was supplied New York in WFO letter dated 4/29/55.

It is noted that the only information set forth in relet dated 2/11/53 which emanated from [redacted] and [redacted].

It is not known if New York subsequently utilized this information in its prosecutive summary.

The following is the characterization requested of former [redacted] and [redacted] should be described as an individual who has supplied reliable information in the past; [redacted] should be described as an individual in position to supply reliable information.

Available to Testify

Address - [redacted]

Occupation - [redacted]

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Employment - present employment unknown.

General Background

[REDACTED]

Previous Testimony

b7D,

[REDACTED] has had no experience in testifying.

Arrest Record - unknown.

Activity in CP or Other Organizations

[REDACTED]

b7D,

[REDACTED] advised [REDACTED] did not desire to further act as an informant.

[REDACTED] It is not known whether this individual is currently being utilized [REDACTED]

b7D

Availability as Witness

From conversations had with this individual it is believed that [REDACTED] will undoubtedly be willing to testify if necessary.

Unavailable to Testify

[REDACTED]

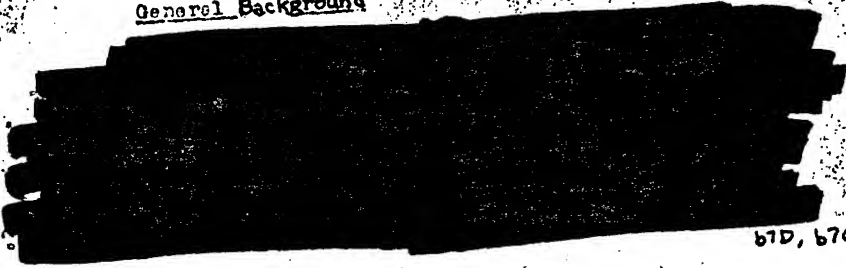
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Address - [REDACTED]

Occupation - [REDACTED]

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General Background



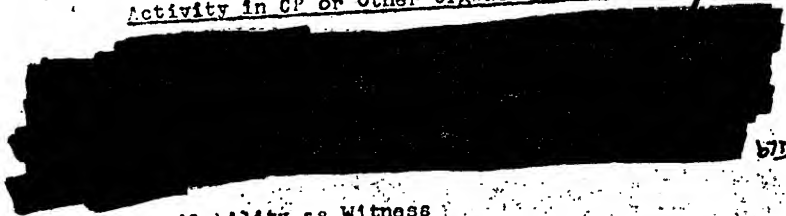
b7D, b7C

Previous Testimony

[redacted] has never testified as a government witness.

Arrest Record - no known criminal record.

Activity in CP or Other Organizations



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Availability as Witness

It is considered that [redacted] would not make a suitable witness.

[redacted] It is believed by this Office that [redacted] would be highly reluctant to testify; moreover [redacted] may prove a source of embarrassment to the Bureau.

b7C, b7D

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (100-10711)

DATE: 5/13/55

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-25474)

SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE  
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It is noted that the only information set forth in relet dated 2/11/53 which emanated from [redacted] was [redacted]. It is not known if New York subsequently utilized this information in its prosecutive summary.

The following is the characterization requested of former [redacted] and [redacted] should be described as an individual who has supplied reliable information in the past; [redacted] should be described as an individual in position to supply reliable information.

Available to Testify

[redacted]

Address [redacted]

Occupation [redacted]

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Signature: [redacted]

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Employment - present employment unknown.

General Background

[REDACTED]

Previous Testimony

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[REDACTED] has had no experience in testifying.

Arrest Record - unknown.

Activity in CP or Other Organizations

[REDACTED] has not been a member of the [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

b7D, b7C

[REDACTED] advised [REDACTED] did not desire to further act as an informant.

[REDACTED]. It is not known whether this individual is currently being utilized [REDACTED]

b7D

Availability as Witness

From conversations had with this individual it is believed that [REDACTED] will undoubtedly be willing to testify if necessary.

Unavailable to Testify

[REDACTED]

former confidential source

Address - [REDACTED]

Occupation - [REDACTED]

b7D

General Background

[REDACTED]

Previous Testimony

[REDACTED] has never testified as a government witness.

b7D, b7C

Arrest Record - no known criminal record.

Activity in CP or Other Organizations

[REDACTED]

Availability as Witness

b7D

It is considered that [REDACTED] would not make a suitable witness. [REDACTED] It is believed by this office that [REDACTED] would be highly reluctant to testify; moreover, [REDACTED] may prove a source of embarrassment to the Bureau.

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b7C, b7D